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Passibus haud æquis graditur; cur subdita nulli
Hæcæpæ Astronomo numerorum fræna recusat;
Cur remeant Nodi, curque Auges progrediantur.

— Quantis refluxum vaga Cynthia pontum
Viribus impellat; dum fractis fluctibus ulvam
Deserit, ac Nautis suspectas nudat arenas,
Alternis vicibus suprema ad littora pulsans.

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JANUARY hath xxxi Days. M D place

New Moon Day at 51 m. past 2 in the Aftern. 1 6 f 41
 First Quarter 13 Day at 17 m. past 3 in the Morn. 6 6 39
 Full Moon Day 46 Min. past 7 at Night. 11 11 9
 Last Quarter 27 Day 18 m. past 5 in the Morn. 16 21 17
 NS[OS] 21 4 17
 26 9m 8

12	1 W	Circumcil. New Years Day, now	4 M 33	8 M 37
13	2 Th	begins the Year of our Lord 1752	5 2	9 25
14	3 F	Shooting. Epiph. Fair is al-	6 11	10 14
15	4 S	ways the 1st Fr. aft. 2d. of Jan.	6 53	11 2
16	5 E	2 Sunday after Christmas.	Sets	11 50
17	6 M	Epiph. CHRIST'S Star appears	5 A 28	6 A 37
18	7 Tu	Days are now 8 ho. to Gentiles	6 39	1 23
19	8 W	Lactan, Priest and m.	7 48	2 8
20	9 Th	The Weather (in General) this Year	9 C	2 54
21	10 F	is likely enough to be pretty	10 13	3 40
22	11 S	much the same as in former Years	11 26	4 27
23	12 E	1 Sunday after Epiphany.	Morn.	5 17
24	13 M	Hillary. Bish. and Con.	0 42	6 11
25	14 Tu	Notwithstanding the agreeable and	1 57	7 8
26	15 W	necessary Regulation of the Style.	3 11	8 7
27	16 Th	Day 8 ho. and half, and	4 16	9 8
28	17 F	Night 15 hours and half long.	5 13	10 9
29	18 S	Orisca, Rom. V. and M.	6 C	11 8
30	19 E	2 Sunday after Epiphany	Rises	Morn.
31	20 M	Fabian B. of Rom M. Oct. Hill.	6 A 5	0 14
Fe 21	Tu	Agnes Rom. V. and M. [1. Ret.	7 22	0 56
22	W	Alinc. Span. Deac. M.	8 38	1 45
3 23	Th	Hillary Term begins.	9 51	2 34
4 24	F	Wet and Cold; or (perhaps)	11 C	3 20
5 25	S	Conversion of Saint PAUL.	Morn.	4 C
6 26	E	Septuagesima Sunday.	0 C	4 52
7 27	M	Quind. Hill. 2 Ret	1 14	5 38
8 28	Tu	Fair and Frosty; however Remember	2 15	6 25
9 29	W	We expect no Harrest Weather now	3 12	7 14
10 30	Th	K. CHARLES I. martyr'd	4 2	8 2
11 31	F	Whitehall 12 m. past 1, 1649	4 4	8 50

M D	☉ Rises	☉ Sets	☿ Rise	☿ Sets	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♂ Sets	W. fast.
1	3 7	3 53	M 51	4 M 2	5 M 29	0 M 20	5 A 37	9 00
6	8 1	3 59	5 32	3 59	0 2	4 27	5 36	10 3
11	7 54	4 6	14 3	3 37	0 22	4 33	5 11	12
16	7 45	4 15	4 55	3 17	0 17	4 39	Rises	13 1
21	7 37	4 23	4 36	2 55	0 14	4 46	6 M 44	14 C
26	7 28	4 32	4 28	2 44	0 11	4 53		

FEBRUARY hath xxix Days.

M D place

New Moon 4 Day 46 m. past 7 in the Morning.
 First Quarter, 11 Day at Noon.
 Full Moon 18 Day at 8 in the Morning.
 Last Quarter 26 Day 20 m. past 2 in the Morn.

120533
 624330
 1231110
 1614233
 212229
 2622238

N	O	U	Sundays, Holydays, remarkable Days Length, Inc. and Dec. of Days, Terms, Weath. &c.	Moons Rising and Set	Moons South
12	1	S	Winterly still; and not very	5 M 20	9 M 38
13	2	E	Sexagesima. Purification V. M.	5 51	10 26
14	3	M	Blasius, B. and M. Cr. p. 3. Ret.	6 16	11 12
15	4	Tu	unlikely for a Candlemas-Blast.	7 Sets	0 A 1
16	5	W	Cynthia Sicilian V. and M.	6 A 45	0 48
17	6	Th	Day 9 hours and 3 quarters,	7 56	1 34
18	7	F	Night 14 ho. and 1 quarter long.	9 12	2 22
19	8	S	☉ Ampl. 18° 30' South.	10 28	3 12
20	9	E	Quinquages. Shrove Sunday.	11 44	4 5
21	10	M	Octab. Purif. 4 Returns.	Morn.	5 1
22	11	Tu	Days increas'd, 2 ho. 54 min.	0 58	5 59
23	12	W	Ash Wednesd. first Day of Lent.	2 6	6 58
24	13	Th	Hillary Term ends.	3 5	7 56
25	14	F	Valentine Bish. and M.	3 52	8 55
26	15	S	Snow or Sleet (perhaps) Rain,	4 32	9 52
27	16	E	1 Sunday in Lent.	5 5	10 45
28	17	M	or, (possibly) fair and pleasant,	5 35	11 35
29	18	Tu	the Season considered.	7 Rise	Morn.
M 19	19	W	Ember Week	7 A 29	0 25
2 20	20	Th	Days 10 hours and 52 min.	8 42	1 11
3 21	21	F	Night 13 hours 8 min. long.	9 52	2 0
4 22	22	S	Princess of Hesse born.	11 2	2 45
5 23	23	E	2 Sunday in Lent. [Potting.	Morn.	3 34
6 24	24	M	St. MATTHIAS A. M. Fair at	0 4	4 21
7 25	25	Tu	Nights are now shorten'd, and	1 4	5 10
8 26	26	W	the Days lengthen'd 3 ho. 3 qu.	1 55	5 57
9 27	27	Th	Now and to the End, expect the	2 41	6 46
10 28	28	F	Weather to be full as good as any is	3 20	7 34
11 29	29	S	to be had this Month. &c. &c. &c.	3 54	8 22

M D	☉ Rises	☉ Sets	☿ Rises	☿ Sets	♂ Rises	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♀ Sets	W. fast.
1	7	174	43	3 M 56	2 M 15	0 M 1	M 0	6 M 7	14 46
6	7	74	53	38	1 58	0	46	4 14	35
11	6	57	5	33	21	41	0	76	4 13 54
16	6	45	3	28	41	24	0	86	3 13 0

MARCH hath xxxi Days.

New Moon 4 Day 37 min. past 9 at Night.
 First Quarter 11 Day 3 min. past 7 at Night.
 Full Moon 18 Day 5 min. past 9 at Night.
 Last Quarter 26 Day 18 min. past 10 at Night.

M	D	Signs
1	10	59
6	17	36
11	23	16
16	7	54
21	12	35
26	12	18

NS	OS								
12	1	D	3 Sun. in Lent. David Archb. M.	4	M 23	9	M	9	
13	2	M	Cedde or Chad B. Litch.	4	46	9	56		
14	3	Tu	Orising Amplitude 3° 38' South.	5	10	10	43		
15	4	W	Now (be sure) of March Winds	D	Sets	11	31		
16	5	Th	from some Point of the Compass	7	A	0	0	A	21
17	6	F	or other; perhaps <i>Wes</i> , perhaps <i>Dry</i>	8	17	1	12		
18	7	S	Perpetua Mauric. Mart.	9	34	2	5		
19	8	D	4 Sund. in Lent, or Midlent S.	10	50	3	0		
20	9	M	☉ in T 47 min. past 4 Morn.	Morn.	3	58			
21	10	Tu	Equal Day and Night in all the	0	1	5	0		
22	11	W	habitable Parts of this Globe.	1	6	5	58		
23	12	Th	Greg. M. B. of R. and C.	1	57	6	57		
24	13	F	A good Season for the industrious,	2	40	7	52		
25	14	S	Prince EDWARD born.	3	14	8	44		
26	15	D	5 Sunday in Lent.	3	42	9	35		
27	16	M	☉ Due E. 6. ho. 7. m. his Alt.	4	8	10	25		
28	17	Tu	laborious, honest Farmer [2° 57'.	4	32	11	12		
29	18	W	Ed. K. of West. Sax.	M	Rise	11	59		
30	19	Th	☉ Amplitude North 7°	7	A 42	0	M 22		
31	20	F	may be expected (with regard	8	51	0	46		
A	21	S	Benedict Abbot.	10	1	1	33		
2	22	D	6 Sunday in Lent. Palm Sund.	10	59	2	25		
3	23	M	to the Weather) now and	11	54	3	10		
4	24	Tu	Day 13 hours 4 min. long.	Morn.	3	58			
5	25	W	Annunciation B. V. Mary.	0	42	4	46		
6	26	Th	Fair at Nottingham.	1	24	5	35		
7	27	F	GOOD FRID. Our SAV. Crucif.	1	59	6	23		
8	28	S	to the End of this Month.	2	28	7	5		
9	29	D	EASTER DAY. Our SAV. Res.	2	53	7	54		
10	30	M	Easter Monday.	3	18	8	41		
11	31	Tu	Easter Tuesday.	3	40	9	28		

M D	☉ Rises	☉ Sets	☿ Rises	♃ Sets	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♂ Rises	W. fast	
1	5	19 5	42	3 M 14	0 M 42	0 M 7 5	Mo 5	5 M 56	10
6	6	6 5	55	1 55	0 28	0 7 5	1 5	54	8
11	5	56 6	5	1 38	0 14	0 7 4	57 5	49	7
16	5	45 6	1	1 2	0 0	0 6 4	51 5	43	5
21	5	36 6	2	1 4	11 A 43	0 6 4	45 5	37	3
26	5	25 6	3	1 4	1 30	0 4 1	28	Set	1

APRIL hath xxx Days.

New Moon Day 56 min. past 8 in the Morn.
First Quarter 10 Day 36 min. past 1 in the Morn.
Full Moon 17 Day 19 min. before Noon.
Last Quarter 25 Day 32 min. past 2 Afternoon.

M	Moons
D	Signs
1	28 20
10	11 10
17	5
26	57
26	47
26	58

NS OS

1	W	All Fools-Day.	4	51	5	10	51	7
13	Th	This Month is very likely	4	28	11			7
14	F	Richard Bish. of Chic.	5	Sets	0	A		2
15	S	St. Ambrose, Bish. of Mil.	8	A	40	0		58
16	D	1 Sund. after Easter. Low Sund.	9	56	1			58
17	M	Day 13 ho. 58 min. and Night	11	4	2			59
18	Tu	10 hours and 2 min. long.		Morn.	4			0
19	W	to begin with some sort of	0	1	4			58
20	Th	Weather, which (if Rain) may	0	45	5			55
21	F	be called April Showers;	1	23	6			48
22	S	and may reasonably go on	1	53	7			39
23	D	2 Sunday after Easter. Misericor	2	19	8			29
24	M	Quind. Pasch. 1 Return. [16° 42'	2	44	9			15
25	Tu	☉ due E. 6ho. 41 min. Altitude	3	5	10			2
26	W	Prince WILLIAM born E.T. beg	3	28	10			48
27	Th	in the same Denomination;	3	51	11			34
28	F	Cold Harsh Winds, and	5	Rises		Morn.		
29	S	Frost expected, now and	8	A	55	0		22
30	D	3 Sunday after Easter. Jubilate	9	51	1			10
M 20	M	Tres. Pasch. 2 Return.	10	42	1			58
21	Tu	☉ rises Amplitude 26° 19' North	11	27	2			46
22	W	till May-Day, or thereabouts,		Morn.	3			35
23	Th	St. GEO. Fav. Cha. and For. M	0	5	4			23
24	F	however, expect	0	35	5			8
25	S	St. MARK the Evangelist.	1	3	5			55
26	D	4 Sunday after Easter. Cantate.	1	25	6			39
27	M	Menf. Pasch 3 Return.	1	49	7			25
28	Tu	fine springing Weather	2	10	8			10
29	W	now and to the End.	2	32	8			58
30	Th	Days increas'd, 8 hours 9 min.	2	58	9			50

M	D	☉ Rises	☉ Sets	☿ Rises	☿ Sets	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♀ Sets	W. fast.
1	5	12 5	49 0	M 23	11 A 13	0 M	14 M	28 7 A	35 0 0
6	5	2 5	59 0	4	11	1	11 A	59 4	21 8 24 Slow.
11	4	53 7	8 11 A	42	10 48	11	55 4	12 9 0	1 45
16	4	45 7	16 11	21	10 34	11	50 4	29 29	2 40
21	4	5 7	31 11	2	0 21	11	46 3	54 9 45	3 0
26	4	2 7	47 10	41	10 5	11	41 3	45 9 46	3 45

M A Y hath xxxi Days.

New Moon 2 Day 58 m. past 5 in the Evening.
 First Quarter 9 Day 37 min. past 8 in the Morn
 Full Moon 17 Day 38 min. past 2 in the Morn
 Last Quarter 25 Day 19 m. past 5 in the Morn

M	D	Moon's place
1	4	844
6	10	2510
11	28	70
16	19	147
21	10	50
26	19	17

NS OS

12	1	F	St. PHIL: and Jac. or May-day	3	M	27	10	M	44
13	2	S	Day 15 h. and half  eclip. invis.) Sets	11			11		43
14	3	D	5 Sun. after Easter. Rogat. Sund.	8	A	48	0	A	45
15	4	M	Quind. Pasch. 4 Return.	9		51	1		47
16	5	Tu	Days increas'd 8 ho. and a quar	10		44	2		50
17	6	W	Rogat. W.S. John Eb. a p. L.	11		26	3		50
18	7	Th	Holy Thursd. CHRIST's Ascen	1		59	4		46
19	8	F	Craft. Ascen. 5 Return.			Morn.	5		38
20	9	S	 due E. 7 Morn. Alt. 25° 28'.	0		27	6		26
21	10	D	6 Sun. after Easter, Exaudi.	0		49	7		14
22	11	M	Easter Term ends.	1		12	8		0
23	12	Tu	<i>This Month (if the Weather be fine)</i>	1		34	8		46
24	13	W	No real Night, but all Twilight.	1		56	9		32
25	14	Th	Day 16 ho. Night 8 hours long	2		21	10		19
26	15	F	<i>is allowed, by the nicest and</i>	2		49	11		7
27	16	S	Days incr. and Ni. shor. 8 h. 50'	3		22	11		53
28	17	D	Whit Sund. Desc. of H. Ghost.) Rises			Morn.			
29	18	M	Whit Monday. [Cant.	9	A	24	0		43
30	19	Tu	Whit Tuesday Dunstan Archb.	10		5	1		30
31	20	W	Ember Week.	10		37	2		19
1	21	Th	<i>best Judges to be the best (Weather)</i>	11		5	3		5
2	22	F	<i>in all the Year provided we have</i>	11		29	3		50
3	23	S	<i>Cool Breezes of Wind, with</i>	11		52	4		34
4	24	D	Trin. Sund. Pr. of WALES born			Morn.	5		19
5	25	M	Craf. Trin. 1 Ret. Trin. Coll.	0		12	6		3
6	26	Tu	Aug. first Archb. Cant. [Elec.	0		35	6		50
7	27	W	Venerable Bede, Pr.	0		57	7		37
8	28	Th	<i>fine refreshing Showers, &c.</i>	1		22	8		27
9	29	F	K. CHAR. II Bir. and Ret. T. beg.	1		53	9		21
10	30	S	Prs. AMEL. and CAROL. born	2		32	10		20
11	31	D	1 Sunday after Trinity.	3		21	11		23

M D	☉ Rises	☉ Sets	☿ Rises	☿ Sets	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♀ Sets	W. flow		
1	4	16 7	4	10 A 21	9 A 54	11 A 34	3 M 36	9 A 31	4	
6	4	8 7	53	10	19	39	11 26	3 3 9	2	4
11	4	1 8		9	39 9	2	11 18	3 18	3 23	3
16	3	54 8	7	9	18 9	12	11 8	3 10	Rises.	3
21	3	47 8	14	8	55 8	57	10 59	3 1	M 48	2
26	3	45 8	16	8	32 8	43	10 49	2 54	3 28	1

JUNE hath xxx Days.

New Moon	Day 17 min. past 1 in the Morn.	1 27 11 58
First Quarter	7 Day 26 min. past 5 in the Even.	6 11 02 13
Full Moon	5 Day 35 min. past 5 in the Aftern.	11 14 17 52
Last Quarter	23 Day 5 min. past 4 in the Even.	16 14 39 18
New Moon	30 Day 7 min. past 8 in the Morn.	21 14 47 47
		26 11 8 39

M D		Moon's place	
12	1 M	Nicom. Rom. Pr. and Octab. Trin.	9 A 15 1 30
13	2 Tu	Now expect fine pleasant [2. Rct.	9 52 2 29
14	3 W	seasonable Weather, but	10 24 3 25
15	4 Th	perhaps inclin'd to Wet.	10 51 4 18
16	5 F	Boniface B. of Mentz, M.	11 14 5 6
17	6 S	The greatest incr. of the Days	11 35 5 54
18	7 D	2 Sunday after Trinity.	11 58 6 40
19	8 M	Quind. Trin. 3 return.	12 26 7 26
20	9 Tu	at LONDON is 8 ho. 59 minutes.	0 21 8 13
21	10 W	☉ in ☉ 45 min. past 3 Morn.	0 49 8 59
22	11 Th	St. BAR. Ap. and M. K. G. II. Ins.	1 20 9 46
23	12 F	The greatest lengthning of Days	1 55 10 34
24	13 S	at NOTTINGHAM is 9h. 24min.	2 39 11 22
25	14 D	3 Sunday after Trinity.	3 17 12 10
26	15 M	K. GEO. II procl. 1727 Tris. Trin	4 0 12 58
27	16 Tu	Brist Winds, attended	5 0 1 46
28	17 W	St. Alban. M. Trin. Term ends.	5 53 2 34
29	18 Th	with Thunder, but	6 17 3 22
30	19 F	not much wet.	6 59 4 10
Jul 20	20 S	Transl. of Edw. K. of West Sax.	7 11 5 0
21	21 D	4 Sunday after Trinity.	7 57 5 48
22	22 M	☉ due E. 7h. 15. m. Alt. 29°. 28	8 43 6 36
23	23 Tu	Days decreas'd 3 minutes.	9 29 7 24
24	24 W	Nativity of St. JOHN Bap.	10 15 8 12
25	25 Th	St. John's Coll. Oxon Elec.	10 51 9 0
26	26 F	Hot and Sultry, but	11 37 9 48
27	27 S	not without Showers.	12 23 10 36
28	28 D	5 Sunday after Trinity.	1 9 11 24
29	29 M	St. PETER Ap. and Mart.	1 55 12 12
30	30 Tu	Exeter College Election.	2 41 1 0

M D	☉ Rct.	☉ Set.	☿ Sets	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♂ Rises	N. full
1	3	4	10	8 A 24	10 A 35	2 M 47	3 M 10
6	3	3	21	3 M 31	10 24	2 43	2 20
11	3	3	21	8 M 19	10 11	2 42	3 35
16	3	3	21	46	9 59	2 41	4 49
				46	9 45	2 44	5 30

JULY hath xxxi Days.

	M	Moon's place
First Quarter 7 Day 2 min. before 5 in the Morn.	1	65 45
Full Moon 15 Day 39 min. past 8 in the Morn.	6	16 45
Last Quarter 23 Day 19 m. before 1 in the Morn.	11	27 36
New Moon 29 Day 12 min. past 3 in the Aftern.	16	27 14
	21	30 42
	26	02 39

NS/US							
12	1	W	Thunder, Rain, Wind (Or else)	8	A	24	1 A 6
13	2	Th	Visit. of the B. V. Mary.	8		46	2 1
14	3	F	Fair, Pleasant, Calm, or otherwise	9		11	2 53
15	4	S	Transl. of S. Mart. B. and C.	9		37	3 44
16	5	D	6 Sunday after Trinity.	9		58	4 31
17	6	M	just what God sends us is the best	10		22	5 18
18	7	Tu	Cho. a Becket. [Weather	10		48	6 5
19	8	W	for Gentlemen-Farmers, Travellers,	11		17	6 54
20	9	Th	but (by the By.) any, say the worst	11		51	7 39
21	10	F	sort, is good enough for Gamesters,		Morn.	8	27
22	11	S	Pr. CARO. MATILDA born.	0		33	9 15
23	12	D	7 Sunday after Trinity.	1		20	10 3
24	13	M	Now beg. to be real Night, Sun at	2		14	10 57
25	14	Tu	Midni. being more than 18 Deg.	3		14	11 37
26	15	W	Within B. of Winch. Transl.		D Rises	Morn.	
27	16	Th	☉ Amp. at rising and setting 33°	7	A	55	0 23
28	17	F	10' below the Horizon.	8		18	1 8
29	18	S	Days shorten'd 1 hour 8 min.	8		38	1 52
30	19	D	8 Sunday after Trinity. [Ant.	9		0	2 36
31	20	M	Dog-days begin. Marg. Vand.M	9		21	3 22
A 21	21	Tu	Days 15 ho. and an half long.	9		49	4 7
2	22	W	St. Mary Magdalene.	10		21	4 58
3	23	Th	☉ due East 6h. 55 m. Alt. 22° 4'	10		59	5 51
4	24	F	Magdalen College Election.	11		44	6 46
5	25	S	St. JAMES Ap. and M. [Moth.		Morn.	7	44
6	26	D	9 Sunday after Trin St. Ann.	0		41	8 44
7	27	M	Now, and to the End, Fine	1		51	9 45
8	28	Tu	Weather for the Harvest, except	3		15	10 47
9	29	W	some letting Showers.		D Sets	11	47
10	30	Th	Days are decreased, and Night	7	A	12	0 A 40
11	31	F	lengthen'd 1 h. 54' Pr. AUGUS. b	7		38	1 32

M	D	☉ Rises	☉ Sets	☿ Sets	♂ Rises	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♀ Sets	W. lat.	
1	3	50	8	11	1 M 40	2 M 14	9 A 19	2 M 56	2 M 57	5 0
6	3	55	8	6	1 19	2 59	9 43	6 3	32	5 33
11	4	27	58	0	58	1 45	8 50	3 18	Sets.	5 49
16	4	9	7	50	0 38	1 29	8 37	3 50	8 A 23	5 50
21	4	17	7	42	0 18	1 14	8 24	3 46	8 21	5 35
26	4	27	7	3	11 A 54	1 08	1 4	1 1	14	4 12

AUGUST hath xxxi Days.

First Quarter 5 Day 37 min. past 7 at Night.
 Full Moon 3 Day 3 min. past 11 at Night.
 Last Quarter 21 Day 19 min. past 7 in the Morn.
 New Moon 8 Day 57 m. before 1 in the Morn

M	Moon's place
D	
1	28m 26
6	2 16
11	1 50
16	4 22
21	11 49
26	23 58

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12	1	S	Lammas Day.	8	A	2	2	A	23
13	2		10 Sunday after Trinity.	8	28	3	12		
14	3	M	Foggy close and saltry,	8	53	4	1		
15	4	Tu	follow'd with Thunder.	9	23	4	49		
16	5	W	Days 14 hours 27 min. long.	9	56	5	37		
17	6	Th	Transfig. of our Lord.	10	34	6	25		
18	7	F	Name of Jesus. [10 minutes.	11	20	7	14		
19	8	S	☉ due E. 6h. 36m. Alt. 15 deg.	Morn.	8	3			
20	9	D	11 Sunday after Trinity.	0	12	8	50		
21	10	M	St. Laur. Arch. D. of R. & M	1	8	9	37		
22	11	Tu	Days are now decreas'd, and	2	10	10	22		
23	12	W	Nights lengthen'd 2h. 40 min.	3	14	11	7		
24	13	Th	Day 14 hours 5 min. long.	D	Rises	11	58		
25	14	F	Now pretty favourable	6	A	48	Morn.		
26	15	S	for the Harvest.	7	11	0	38		
27	16	D	12 Sunday after Trinity.	7	33	1	24		
28	17	M	☉ Amplitude 16 deg. 5 min.	7	59	2	11		
29	18	Tu	☉ due E 6 h. 31 m. Alt. 12°. 27.	8	29	3	0		
30	19	W	Still, and to the End expect	9	4	3	51		
31	20	Th	good Weather for the Harvest.	9	46	4	46		
S	21	F	Day 13 ho. 53 min. long.	10	37	5	42		
2	22	S	☉ Amplitude North 13°. 6'.	11	41	6	40		
3	23	D	13 Sunday after Trinity.	Morn.	7	39			
4	24	M	St. BARTHOLOMEW Ap. & M	0	54	8	38		
5	25	Tu	Days decreased, and Nights now	2	12	9	36		
6	26	W	lengthened 3 ho. and 27 min.	3	30	10	30		
7	27	Th	Dog-Days end.	4	50	11	23		
8	28	F	S. Au. B. of Hip. C. D.	D	Sets	0	A 17		
9	29	S	Beheading of John Bap.	6	A	35	1	8	
10	30	D	14 Sunday after Trinity.	7	2	1	58		
11	31	M	Day 12 ho 2 quarters long.	7	30	2	47		

M D	☉ Rises	☉ Sets	☿ Sets	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♂ Sets	W. ft.				
1	4	33.7	20	11 A 31	0 M 41	7 A 52	4	0			
6	4	46.7	12	11 12	0 28	7 39	Sets	7	52	3	33
11	4	57.7	3	10 54	0 14	7 26	7 A 15	7	40	2	10
16	5	7.6	52	10 34	0 0	7 12	7 7	2	3	40	
21	5	15.6	44	10 16	11 42	7 0	7 0	10	Slow,		
26	5	28.6	3	9 55	11 27	6 47	6 51.6	5	12	20	

SEPTEMBER hath xix Days.

M
D Moon's
place

First Quarter 15 Day 29 min. past 1 Afternoon.

15 48

Full Moon 23 Day 34 min. past Noon.

23 10

Last Quarter 30 Day 16 min. past 1 Afternoon.

21 46

26 55

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12	1	Tu	Giles. Abbor and Conf.	8	A	3	3	A	37
13	2	W	LONDON burnt A. D. 1666.	8		40	4		26
14		Th	Holy Cross Day.	9	A	23	5		15
15		F	☉ Jue E. 6h. 11 m. Alt. 4°. 37	10		12	6		3
16		S	Snow'ry, but perhaps	11		6	6		51
17		A	15 Sunday after Trinity.						
18		M	not very much downfal	0		5	8		26
19		Tu	about this Time.	1		12	9		12
20		W	Ember Week.	2		18	9		58
21		Th	S. MAT. Ap. Ev. & M. ☉ in 22°	3		26	10		42
22		F	Eq. Day & Ni. m. past 5 Aft. S.	4		35	11		28
23		S	in all the Habitable Parts of the						
24		A	16 Sunday after Trinity [Earth.	6	A	13	0		16
25		M	Fair and pleasant [Mar	6		42	1		5
26		Tu	S. Cyprian Arch. of Carth. &	7		16	1		57
27		W	with brisk Winds, &c.	7		56	2		51
28		Th	to the End of this Month.	8		44	3		47
29		F	S. MICHAEL, and all Angels.	9		44	4		44
30		S	S. Jer. Pr. Conf. and Doct.	10		52	5		43

The Days to be numbred in the same Order, and the Movable Feasts to be ascertained (as usual) until the 2 Sep. 1752 inclusive; and the Day following to be accounted 14 Sept. omitting for that Time the intermediate 11 Nominal Days. All Writings after 1 Jan. 1752, to be dated according to the New Style. The Feasts and Fasts &c. of the Church to be observed after the said 2 Sept. according to the New Calendar, &c. See the late Act of Parliament for regulating the Commencement of the Year; and for correcting the Old Calendar, &c.

M D	☉ Rise	☉ Sets	☿ Sets	☿ Rise	♂ Sets	♀ Sets	♀ Rise	W. flow.
1	5 36	6 33	9 A 37	11 A 10	6 A 32	6 A 40	6 A 30	3 54
2	5 38	6 21	9 33	11 7	6 29	6 38	6 26	4 3
14	5 40	6 10	9 30	11 4	6 26	6 36	6 22	4 38
15	5 44	6 10	9 26	11 1	6 24	6 34	6 15	5 0
20	5 58	6 10	9 10	10 47	Rises 16	2 5	57	7 33
25	6 6	6 5	8 53	10 32	5 M 54	6 17	Rises 17	53

OCTOBER hath xxxi Days.

New Moon 17 Day half an hour before Noon.
 First Quarter 15 Day 15 min. past 9 in the Morn.
 Full Moon 23 Day 14 min. past 1 in the Morn.
 Last Quarter 29 Day 16 min. past 8 at Night.

M	D	Moon's place
1	20	58
6	12	21
11	6	1
16	5	47
21	8	53
26	19	11

1	A	17 Sunday after Trinity.	Morn.	6	M	41
2	M	☉ Amplitude 6°. 49' South.	0	6	3	37
3	Tu	Days decreas'd, and Nights are	1	22	8	31
4	W	now lengthened 5 hours 36 min.	2	42	9	24
5	Th	Shew'ry with Wind,	4	0	10	15
6	F	Faith. Virgin and Mart.	5	11	11	4
7	S	☉ (perhaps) Fair and Calm,	☉	Sets	11	54
8	A	18 Sunday after Trinity.	5	A	37	0 A
9	M	St. Denys Arcop. B. and M.	6	8	1	35
10	Tu	Day 10 ho. 46 min. long. Old Mic	6	44	2	25
11	W	however note, or see, [Days	7	26	3	15
12	Th	we may reasonably	8	14	4	4
13	F	Transl. of K. Ed. Conf.	9	8	4	54
14	S	☉ Amplitude 14°. 39' South.	10	6	5	42
15	A	19 Sunday after Trinity.	11	7	6	28
16	M	Days decreas'd 6 ho. 25 minutes.	Morn.	7	13	
17	Tu	Etheldred, Virg.	0	11	7	57
18	W	St. LUKE the Evangelist.	1	15	8	42
19	Th	begin to expect Frosty Mornings	2	22	9	27
20	F	Tres. Mich 1. Return.	3	33	10	14
21	S	and such like Notices of	4	44	11	3
22	A	20 Sund. aft. Trin. K. G. II. Crown'd	5	58	11	54
23	M		☉	Rises	Morn.	
24	Tu	Days 9 ho. 53 min. long.	5	A	59	0
25	W	Crispin Mart.	6	47	1	44
26	Th	☉ Amplitude 24°. 28' South.	7	42	2	43
27	F	Mens. Mich. 2 Return.	8	48	3	42
28	S	St. SIMON and St. JUDE Ap. & M	10	2	4	40
29	A	21 Sunday after Trinity.	11	24	5	38
30	M	Days 9 h. 28 min. long.	Morn.	6	33	
31	Tu	the approach of Winter.	0	34	7	25

M	D	☉ Rises	☉ Sets	☿ Sets	♂ Rises	♂ Sets	♀ Rises	♀ Sets	☿ Rises	W. flow.
1		13	5	46	8	A	32	30	A	14
6		25	5	34	8	14	9	58	5	54
11		38	5	21	7	58	9	42	5	56
16		48	5	11	7	41	9	24	5	55
21	7	0	5	0	7	23	9	7	5	57
26	7	11	4	45	7	1	8	4	5	56

M. Moon's
D. place

New Moon	6 Day 6 min. before 2 in the Morn.	2	13 ^h 49 ^m
First Quarter	14 Day 29 min. past 5 in the Morn.	6	19 ^h 23 ^m
Full Moon	21 Day at 1 in the Afternoon.	11	19 ^h 56 ^m
Last Quarter	28 Day 40 min. past 4 in the Morn.	16	20 ^h 33 ^m
		21	29 ^h 0 ^m
		26	12 ^h 30 ^m

1	W.	All Saints Day.	1	M49	8	M15
2	Th	Prs. of ORANGE born.	3	5	9	5
3	F	Craft. Anim. 3 Returns.	4	20	9	54
4	S	Now, or in a few Weeks	5	32	10	42
5	A	2 S. aft. Trin. Papius Conspira.	6	41	11	20
6	M	Term begins. ☉ eclips'd in vill.	7	Sets	0	A19
7	Tu	Day 9 hours 19 minutes long.	8	A24	1	10
8	W	we may reasonably expect	9	9	2	0
9	Th	to have Winter upon us in	10	59	2	48
10	F	King George II. born. 1683.	11	53	3	35
11	S	St. Martin Bish. and Conf.	12	54	4	22
12	A	23 Sunday after Trinity.	1	57	5	7
13	M	Matius Bish. Craft. M. 4 Return.	2	1	5	51
14	Tu	good earnest, (viz.) Wind, Rain,	3	Morn.	6	35
15	W	Mathurus B. shop.	4	6	7	19
16	Th	Sleets, Snow, Frosts, Cold,	5	13	8	4
17	F	Hugh, Bish. of Linc.	6	22	8	50
18	S	Day 8 hours 16 minutes long.	7	33	9	39
19	A	24 Sunday after Trinity.	8	46	10	32
20	M	Edm. R. and Mart. Oct. M. 5 Ret.	9	6	11	27
21	Tu	☉ Amp. 34°. 49 South. 1 Day.	10	Rises	Morn.	
22	W	Cecilia, W. and M. Old Martin.	11	A25	0	25
23	Th	St. Clem. I. B. of R. and M.	12	32	1	25
24	F	or such like, to make good fires agreeable.	1	43	2	28
25	S	P. WILL. HEN. born. Cath. W. M.	2	59	3	27
26	A	25 Sunday after Trinity.	3	17	4	23
27	M	Quin. Mart. 6 Return.	4	33	5	17
28	Tu	Michaelmas Term ends.	5	Morn.	6	7
29	W	Day 7 hours and 3 qu. long.	6	49	6	56
30	Th	St. AND. Ap. Prs. Dow. of W. be	7	2	7	44

M D	♂ Rites	♂ Sets	♂ Set	♀ Rites	♀ Rites	♀ Sets	♀ Rites	W. Dow.								
1	7	20	4	39	6	A 44	8	A 27 5	M 52	5	A 22	6	M 35	16	12	
6	7	26	4	33	6	26	8	6	5	57	5	17	7	10	15	14
11	7	39	4	20	6	8	7	45	5	57	5	15	Sets	14	35	
6	7	50	4	10	5	51	7	24	5	56	5	15	4	A 13	13	10
21	8	0	4	C	5	32	7	1	5	55	5	17	4	10	11	9
26	8	7	3	52	5	1	5	38	5	54	5	19	4	7	8	40

A TABLE of all the Kings and Queens of England since the Conquest.

The Year of the Birth of each King and Queen; also the Year, Month, and Day, whereon they began to reign: beginning the Year the first Day of January, 1752. The Length of each Reign. The Years expired since each Reign began and ended.

Names.	Born.	Began to Reign.	Y.	M.	D.	Reg.	End
William Conq.	1027	1066 October	14	20	10	26	686 665
William Rufus	1057	1087 Septem.	9	12	10	24	665 652
Henry I.	1058	1100 August	2	35	4	6	652 617
Stephen	1105	1135 Decem.	1	18	10	24	617 598
Henry II.	1134	1154 October	25	34	8	11	598 563
Richard I.	1156	1189 July	6	9	9	6	563 553
John	1166	1199 April	6	17	6	12	553 536
Henry III.	1207	1216 October	19	56	1	6	536 480
Edward I.	1239	1272 Novem.	16	34	7	21	480 445
Edward II.	1284	1307 July	7	19	6	13	445 425
Edward III.	1312	1327 January	20	55	5	1	425 375
Richard II.	1366	1377 June	21	22	3	8	375 353
Henry IV.	1367	1399 Septem.	29	13	5	21	353 339
Henry V.	1389	1413 March	20	9	5	11	339 330
Henry VI.	1421	1422 August	31	38	6	4	330 291
Edward IV.	1442	1461 March	4	22	1	5	291 269
Edward V.	1471	1483 April	9	0	2	13	269 269
Richard III.	1443	1483 June	22	2	2	0	269 267
Henry VII.	1457	1485 August	22	23	8	6	267 243
Henry VIII.	1492	1509 April	22	37	9	6	243 205
Edward VI.	1537	1547 January	28	6	5	8	205 199
Mary I.	1516	1553 July	6	5	4	11	199 194
Elizabeth	1533	1558 Novem.	17	44	4	7	194 149
James I.	1566	1603 March	24	22	0	3	149 127
Charles I.	1600	1625 March	27	23	10	3	127 103
Charles II.	1630	1649 January	30	36	0	7	103 67
James II.	1633	1685 February	6	4	0	7	67 63
{ Mary II.	1662	1689 Feb.	13	5	10	15	63 58
{ William III.	1650						
Anne	1665	1702 March	8	12	4	24	50 38
George I.	1660	1714 August	1	12	10	10	38 25
George II.	1683	1727 June	11	whom God preserve.			

A Compendious TABLE of INTEREST,
 Shewing the Interest of any Sum of Money, from a Million
 to a Pound; for any Number of Days, at any Rate of
 Interest.

N ^o .	l.	s.	d.	q.	N ^o .	l.	s.	d.	q.
1000000—	27	39	14	6 0 ,99	1000—	2	14	9 2 ,14	
900000—	24	65	15	0 3 ,29	900—	2	9	3 3 ,12	
800000—	21	91	15	7 1 ,59	800—	2	3	10 0 ,11	
700000—	19	17	16	1 3 ,89	700—	1	18	4 1 ,10	
600000—	16	43	16	8 2 ,19	600—	1	12	10 2 ,80	
500000—	13	69	17	3 0 ,49	500—	1	7	5 3 ,70	
400000—	10	95	17	9 2 ,79	400—	1	1	11 0 ,50	
300000—	8	21	18	4 1 ,09	300—	0	16	5 1 ,40	
200000—	5	47	18	10 3 ,40	200—	0	10	11 2 ,30	
100000—	2	73	19	5 1 ,70	100—	0	5	5 3 ,01	
90000—	2	46	11	6 0 ,32	90—	0	4	11 0 ,71	
80000—	2	19	3	6 0 ,96	80—	0	4	4 2 ,41	
70000—	1	91	15	7 1 ,59	70—	0	3	10 0 ,11	
60000—	1	64	7	8 0 ,22	60—	0	3	3 1 ,81	
50000—	1	36	19	8 2 ,85	50—	0	2	8 3 ,51	
40000—	1	09	11	9 1 ,48	40—	0	2	2 1 ,21	
30000—	8	4	3	10 0 ,11	30—	0	1	7 0 ,90	
20000—	5	4	15	10 2 ,74	20—	0	1	1 2 ,60	
10000—	2	7	7	11 1 ,37	10—	0	0	6 2 ,30	
9000—	2	4	13	1 3 ,23	9—	0	0	5 3 ,67	
8000—	2	1	18	4 1 ,10	8—	0	0	5 1 ,40	
7000—	1	9	3	6 2 ,96	7—	0	0	4 2 ,41	
6000—	1	6	8	9 0 ,82	6—	0	0	3 3 ,76	
5000—	1	3	13	11 2 ,58	5—	0	0	3 1 ,15	
4000—	1	0	19	2 0 ,55	4—	0	0	2 2 ,52	
3000—	8	4	4	4 2 ,41	3—	0	0	1 3 ,80	
2000—	5	9	7	7 0 ,27	2—	0	0	1 1 ,26	
1000—	2	14	9	2 14 ,14	1—	0	0	0 2 ,63	

R U L E.

Multiply the Sum by the Number of Days; and that Product by the Rate per Cent. Then cut off the two last Figures to the right Hand, and the rest you must find in the Table.

Example, What is the Interest of 100 l. for 365 Days at 5 per Cent

N^o. of Days 365

multiply by 100

Product 36500

multiply by 5 Rate p. Cent.

825100

Then in the Table

against 1000 is 2 14 9 2 ,14

800 3 3 10 0 ,11

20 0 1 10 ,60

5 0 0 3 1 ,15

Ans^r. 5 0 00 ,00

A List of the Twenty-seven BISHOPS in *England, &c.*

D R. Thomas Herring, Arch- bishop of Canterbury.	Dr. Martin Benson, Gloucester.
Dr. Matthew Hutton, Arch- bishop of York.	Dr. Tho. Secker, Oxford.
Dr. Tho. Sherlock, London.	Dr. Isaac Maddox, Worcester.
Dr. Joseph Butler, Durham.	Dr. Tho. Hayter, Norwich.
Dr. Benj. Hoadley, Winchester.	Dr. John Conybear, Bristol.
Dr. Joseph Wilcox, Rochester.	Dr. Mathias Mawson, Chichester.
Dr. Fr. Cornwallis, Litch. & Co.	Dr. Edw. Cresset, Landaff.
Dr. John Thomas, Peterboro.	Dr. Edw. Willes, Bath and Wells.
Dr. Sam. Peploe, Chester.	Dr. Zach. Pearse, Bangor.
Dr. John Gilbert, Sarum.	Dr. John Thomas, Lincoln.
Dr. Geo. Lavington, Exeter.	Dr. Rob. Drummond, St Asaph.
Dr. Tho. Gooch, Ely.	Dr. Rich. Trevor, St Davids.
Dr. Rich. Osbaldiston, Carlisle.	Dr. James Beauclerc, Hereford.
	Dr. Wilson, Sodor and Man.

Dr. Hugh Thomas, Archdeacon of Nottingham.

Dr. Scrope Berdmore Official.

Mr. Thomas Bennett, Register.

The Names of the Learned JUDGES in the Courts
of Law at *Westminster*:

1. In the Chancery.

Philip Lord Hardwick, L. H. Chancellor of Great Britain:

Sir John Strange, Master of the Rolls.

2. In the King's Bench.

Sir William Lee, Lord Chief Justice;

Sir Martin Wright, Sir Tho. Dennison, Sir Michael Foster:

3. In the Common Pleas.

Sir John Willes, Lord Chief Justice;

Sir Tho. Burnet, Sir Tho. Birch, Nath. Gundry Esq.

4. In the Exchequer.

Sir Thomas Parker, Lord Chief Baron,

Edw. Clive, Heneage Legge, Esqs. Sydney Stafford Smyth Kt.

Sir Dudley Ryder, Attorney General.

William Murray Esq. Solicitor General.

A Table of the MAYORS and SHERIFFS of *Nottingham*, beginning at *Michaelmas* 1720.

MAYORS.

SHERIFFS.

1720. Wm. Bilbie.	Wm. Robinson Jun. Edm. Wildbore.
1721. Ben. Greene.	John Burton, Rob. Egginton Jun.
1722. Alex. Burden.	James Hoe, James Huthwaite Jun.
1723. Tho. Trigge.	Nathanael Charnells, John Hornbuckle.
1724. Marm. Pennell.	Sam. Harris, John Poe.
1725. Rich. Bearne.	John Morley, Wm. Bilbie Jun.
1726. Wm. Bilbie.	Rich. Wheldon, Roger Radforth Jun.
1727. Joseph Walters.	John Farnill, Joseph Inglesant.
1728. Ben. Greene.	Jonathan Truman Jun. Hen. Butler.
1729. Alex. Burden.	John Wood, Sam. Fellows.
1730. Wm. Trigge.	Steph. Egginton, Cornelius Huthwaite.
1731. Tho. Trigge.	John Foxcroft, John Bilbie.
1732. John Huthwaite.	Tho. Langford, Leavis Sherwin.
1733. Tho. Langford.	Isaac Wylde, Joseph Finch.
1734. Wm. Bilbie.	Francis Parkyns, Joseph Smith.
1735. Ben. Greene.	Joseph Wright, Joseph Bilbie.
1736. Alex. Burden.	James Dymock, Robert Huish.
1737. Wm. Trigge.	Charles Morley, James Hornbuckle.
1738. John Newton.	Tho. Shaw, Joseph Wright.
1739. Ja. Huthwaite.	Humphrey Hollins, Sam. Wood.
1740. Tho. Langford.	Wm. Cooper, John Sherbrooke.
1741. Alex. Burden.	Alex. Burden Jun. Ben. Bull.
1742. Wm. Trigge.	James Huthwaite Jun. Robie Swann.
1743. John Hornbuckle.	William Goodwin, William Foulds.
1744. John Burton.	John Killingley Jun. Tho. Haywood.
1745. Henry Butler.	John Oldknow, John Sands.
1746. Ja. Huthwaite.	Thomas Cotes, Thomas Oldknow.
1747. Tho. Langford.	John Plumtre Jun. Esq. Wm Cotton.
1748. Wm. Trigge.	John Egginton, Humphrey Cox.
1749. John Hornbuckle.	Benjamin Mather, Rich. Butler.
1750. John Burton.	Jona. Dodson, Wm Seagrave Town Cl.
1751.	

Wm Seagrave Gent. Town Clerk.

Tho. Cotes Gent. Town Steward.

Mr. John Blackwell } present Chamberlains
Mr. Tho. Spybie }

AS there's but Two Eclipses in this Year,
They must be Solar; *Rules of Art* declare;
Then give me Leave, and I will plainly shew,
The Times when they will happen; as below.

The First will be on *Saturday* the 2^d of *May*, about 6 in the Morning; and the Second on *Monday November* 6, at 2 in the Morning. These are both invisible to us the Inhabitants of *Great Britain*, but to other Parts of the *Terraqueous Globe* the First will be seen as follows:

With respect to the Meridian of *London*

The Eclipse begins *May* 2, at 3^h 6', 36", at which Time the Edge of the Penumbra touches the Earth's Disk, and the Eclipse begins to shew itself at Sun Rising in Lat. 4° 30' S. Long. 224° 42' East, a little to the N. W. of *Solomon's Isles*. At 4^h 1' 9" the Eclipse is central at Sun-rising in Lat. 3° 36' S. Long. 148° 49' West, and is on the *Globe* N. N. W. of the *Marques Mendois Isles*. At 5^h 2' the Eclipse will be central at *Mexico*, and cross the *Bay* passing a little to the South of *Cape Florida*, where he will be centrally eclips'd in the Nonag. Degree at 5^h 45', and at 5^h 55' the Central Shade will cross the *Isle of Curates*, and from thence a little to the N. of the *Caribbee Isles*. At 7^h 11' the Sun will also be centrally eclipsed crossing the *Isles of St. James and Bravo*. The central Eclipse will be last seen at Sun setting in Lat. 12° 5' N. and Long. 18° 5' W. a little to the South of the Mouth of *Niger*, having passed over 9144 Miles Eastward. And last y quits the Earth at 8^h 23' 24" in Lat. 12° N. and Long. 31° 44' W. which falls on the *Globe* a little to the South of the *Dagarea Rocks*.

John Hollingworth.

Mr. Abr. Lord writes as follows:

The first Solar Eclipse is *May* 2, at 5^h 19' in the Aftern. but tho' it happens in the Day-time, it cannot be visible here. because the Moon's Lat. tho' No. is so small, so that it increases her Parallax, and the Eclipse can never reach our Islands.

The Sun will be first seen eclipsed on his vertical Point at his Rising in the *Great South Sea*, in Lat. 3° 20' S. and Long. 131° 8' West of *London*: The Centre of the Penumbra first enters the Earth's Disk, and the Sun is first seen centrally eclipsed at his Rising in the same vast Ocean about 7° to the N. E. of *Dog Isle* in Lat 2° 21' N. and Long. 144° 26' W. from whence it traverseth North Easterly, and enters *Mexico* a little to the

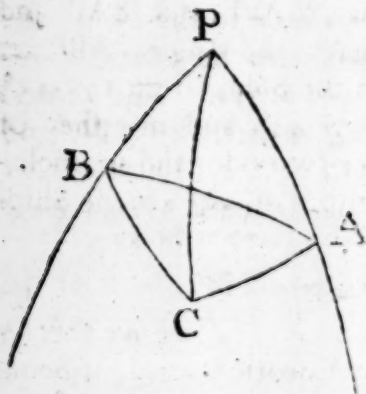
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North of *Acapulco*, and having cross'd *Mexico* it enters the Bay or Gulph of that Name, which having passed, it enters *Florida* to the South of *Augustine*, where the Nonagesimal Sun will be centrally eclipsed in Lat. $25^{\circ} 25'$ and Long. $80^{\circ} 54'$ W. and the Meridional Sun will be centrally eclipsed in Lat. $25^{\circ} 24'$ North, and Long. $79^{\circ} 48'$ West in the *Atlantic Ocean*, then passing over the *Isles of Lucayo* and *Cygateo*, it crosses the main *Atlantic*, the *Cape Verd Isles*, and enters *Africa* a little to the No. of the River *Gambia*, where the Sun is last seen totally eclipsed at his setting in Lat. $14^{\circ} 30'$ N. and Long. $10^{\circ} 21'$ West, and the whole Penumbra quits the Earth in Lat. $13^{\circ} 34'$ N. and Long. $24^{\circ} 14'$ West of *London*.

The Second Eclipse is *November* the 6th, at $2^h 4'$ in the Morning, so not visible here; but in *Java*, *Sumatra*, and *Borneo* it will be a very great Eclipse.

Answers to the Mathematical Questions in 1751.

(1) Quest. 101 answer'd by Mr. *John Wigglesworth*.



Let P represent the North Pole, A and B the Ports sailed from, and C the Place of their meeting. Then in the oblique spheric Triangle ABP there is given the Sides AP and BP the Comp. of the Latitudes of the two Ports, and the included $\angle APB = 20^{\circ}$ the Diff. of Long. to find $AB = 17^{\circ} 15'$, and the $\angle s PAB = 47^{\circ} 55'$, and $PBA = 117^{\circ} 49'$. But $180^{\circ} - 117^{\circ} 49' = 62^{\circ} 11'$, and $62^{\circ} 11' - 47^{\circ} 55' = 14^{\circ} 16'$, and $14^{\circ} 16' + 17^{\circ} 15' = 31^{\circ} 31' = \angle ABC$. Then in the oblique spheric Triangle ABC there is given the Angles ABC and BAC, and the included Side AB to find the Sides AC $= 5^{\circ} 10'$, and BC $= 17^{\circ} 44'$. Again in the oblique spheric Triangle CBP there is given the Sides CB and BP, and the included Angle CBP, to find the Side PC the Comp. of the Latitude arriv'd in. Hence the Distance sailed from the Port B is 1064 Miles, and from A 310 Miles, and the Latitude where they met is $36^{\circ} 14'$ North.

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Mr. Wm Bevil, Writing-master and Teacher of *Mathematics* at *Harpwell* near *Gainsborough*, solves it in the following manner:

Let p and $-p$ = the Sine and Cosine of the Angles CBP and CAP, a and b the Sine and Cosine of AP, and b and a the Sine and Cosine of BP, n , and the Sine and Cosine of the Angle BPA the Diff. of Long. x and y the Sine and Cosine of the Angle CPB, then will $ny - mx$, and $my + nx$ be the Sine and Cosine of the Angle CPA, and *per Spherics*

$$\frac{ap}{pbmy + pbnx - pny + pnx} = \frac{bp}{apy - px} \text{ the Tangent of CP;}$$

and by Reduction $\frac{a^2 - b^2m + bn}{b^2n + bn + a} = \frac{x}{y} = 2768407 = \text{Tang:}$
of $15^\circ 29' =$ the Angle CPB, and CP the Comp. of Lat. $= 53^\circ 46'$. Hence the Latitude is $36^\circ 14'$.

The same Quest. may be answer'd without *Algebra*, thus:

In the Triangle ABP there is given BP and AP, the Complements of the two Latitudes the Ships sail'd from the Angle P, the Diff. of Long. from which AB is found $17^\circ 15'$, and the Angles ABP $= 117^\circ 49'$, BAP $= 47^\circ 55'$; now if 45° be added to each of the Angles, that is ABP and BAP and each Sum taken from 180° , we have the Angles ABC $= 17^\circ 11'$, and BAC $= 87^\circ 05'$ with the Side AB $= 17^\circ 15'$, AC will be found $5^\circ 10'$, and BC $17^\circ 44'$, and in either of the Triangles CBP and CAP we have two sides and an included Angle given, to find CP the Comp. Lat. $53^\circ 46'$ the Ships met in. Hence the Lat. is $36^\circ 14'$ the same as before.

The same answer'd by *Harland Wid.*

I cannot conceive why it should be required to solve this by a simple Equation, or indeed by any Equation at all, it being (if I do not misapprehend it) nothing more than a common Problem in Great Circle Sailing; for in the oblique angled Spherical Triangle PBA are given PB $= 40^\circ =$ Comp. Lat. of the first Ship, the Side PA $= 50^\circ =$ Co. Lat. of the 2^d Ship, and the Angle BPA $= 20^\circ =$ Diff. of Long. by which the Side BA is found $= 17^\circ 14'$, the Angle BAP $= 47^\circ 54'$, and the Angle ABP $= 117^\circ 50'$. Now the Angle CBP *minus* the Angle ABP $=$ the Angle CBA $= 17^\circ 10'$, and the Angle CAP *minus* the Angle BAP $=$ the Angle BAC $= 87^\circ 06'$, whence in the Triangle CBA having two Angles, and their contained Side BC is found $17^\circ 45'$, or 1065 Miles $=$ Dist. sail'd by the

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first Ship; and the Side $AC = 50^{\circ} 10'$ or 310 Miles = Dist. sail'd by the 2d Ship. Again in the Triangle CBP are given two Sides and their contained Angle whence the third Side CP is found $= 53^{\circ} 46'$. Consequently the Place of their Meeting was in Latitude $36^{\circ} 14'$ North. *Q. E. I.*

We received very elegant Solutions to this Question from our ingenious Correspondents Mr. Joseph Orchard, Mr. Steph. Hartley, Mr. Abr. Lord, Mr. Richard Gibbons, Mr. Lhewellin Davies, Mr. Benj. Donn, Mr. Tho. Moss, Mr. Cha. Smith, Mr. James Collingridge, Mr. William Enefer, Mr. Tho. Garrard, Mr. William Spicer, Mr. William Kingstone, Mr. Sam. Barnfield, and Rimside: But Room would not admit the Insertion of them at large, which we hope they will generously excuse.

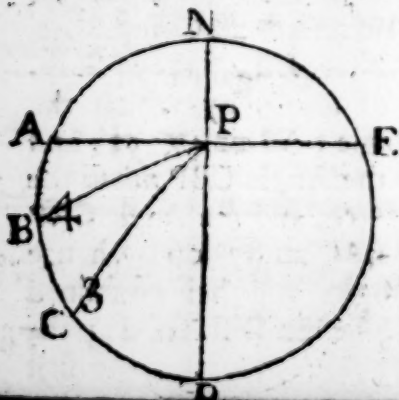
(2) Quest. 102 answer'd by Mr Roger Widger.

'Tis evident that on all Horizontal Dials, the Tang. of the Hour Distance on the Plane is equal to the Sine of the Latitude of the Place any where taken. Put $x =$ the Sine of the Lat. of the Place, $t =$ the Tang. of 60° , and $T =$ the Tang. of $82^{\circ} 48'$; Then as $1 : x :: t : xt =$ Tang. of the given Arch $82^{\circ} 48'$, and $\frac{1+x}{1-xt} = T$, Red'd $x = ,66666$ the Nat. Sine of $41^{\circ} 48'$ nearly.

The same answered by Mr Joseph Orchard.

Let $t =$ Tang. of $82^{\circ} 48'$ the given Sum of the Distance or Angles, m and n the Tangents of 45° and 60° , the Degrees in the Hours from 12; $x =$ the Sine of the Latitude and Radius $= 1$, Then it will be $1 : x :: m : mx$ the Tangent of the Dist. of the 3 o' Clock Line, and $1 : x :: n : nx$ the Tangent of the Distance of the 4 o' Clock Line from the Meridian Lines; and the Tang. of their Sum is $\frac{m+nx}{1-mnx} = t$ per Quest. $\therefore$

$mnx^2 + m + n \times x = t$, and $x = \sqrt{\frac{m^2 + n^2 + 4t m n - m - n}{2tmn}}$
 $= ,666706$ the Sine of $41^{\circ} 48'$ the Lat. req'd.



The same answer'd by Mr. Steph. Hartley.

Let AD represent Part of the Horizon, P the North Pole, AB the Arch from Six, BC that from 4 to 3, and CD that from 3 to 12, or Noon. Let $a =$ the Tang. of $45^{\circ} =$ Angle DPC, $b =$ that of $60^{\circ} =$ Angle DPB, and $c =$ that of $82^{\circ} 48' = DB + DC$;

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DC; and let x = the Nat. Sine of the Latitude required and Radius = 1. Then *per* Spherics $a x = CD$, and $b x = BD$, and their Sum $\frac{bx + ax}{1 - abx^2} = c$, this reduc'd gives $x = .666707$ which answers in the Tables of Nat. Sines to $41^\circ 48' 48''$, the Latitude required.

The same answer'd by Mr George Godhelp.

Let t = Tangent of 45° , d = Tangent of 60° , c = Tang. of $82^\circ 48'$, Radius = 1, and x = the Nat. Sine of the required Latitude: Then $1 : x :: 1 : x$ = Tang. of the Distance of 3 o' Clock from the Meridian, and $1 : x :: d : dx$ = Tang. of the Angle of the 4 o' Clock with the Meridian, and the Tang. of their Sum is $\frac{xd + x}{1 - dx^2} = c$, which out of Fractions and transpos'd, is $x^2 dc + xd + x = c$. Put $d + 1 = s$, and $dc = r$, then $x^2 + \frac{s}{r} x = \frac{c}{r}$; whence $x = \frac{c}{r} + \frac{s^2}{4r^2} - \frac{s}{2r} = 0.66672$, which answers in the Tables of Nat. Sines to $41^\circ 48' 51''$, the Latitude required.

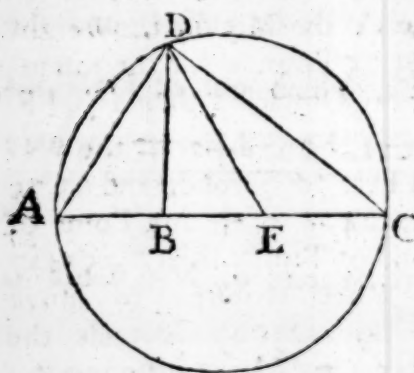
The same answer'd by Mr. Chas. Mason Jun.

In the adjacent Figure let DANE represent the Horizon, P the Pole, DPN the Meridian; then $D_3 + D_4 = 82^\circ 48' =$ the Distance of the Sum of the Hour Lines: Also the Angle $CPD = 45^\circ$, whose Tangent call t ; $BPS = 60^\circ$ Sine call a ; and let m and n = Sine and Cosine of half the Sum of the Distances of the Hour Lines = $41^\circ 24'$; x and y = Sine and Cosine of half their Difference. Then will $my + nx$ = Sine of DB; and $my - nx$ = Sine of DC: Also $\frac{my - nx}{mx + nx} =$ its Tang. Then *per* Spherics $t : \frac{my - nx}{mx + nx} :: 1$. (= Radius): $\frac{my - nx}{t \times mx + nx}$ = the Sine of the Latitude. And as $a : my + nx :: 1 : \frac{my + nx}{a}$ = Sine of (the Hypothenufe) PB; again as $1 : \frac{my + nx}{a} :: a : my + nx$ = the Sine of the Lat. Hence $my + nx = \frac{my - nx}{t \times mx + nx}$; which Equation reduc'd and solv'd, gives $x = .66672$, which answers in the Tables of Natural Sines to $41^\circ 48' 30''$; whence the Latitude is $41^\circ 49'$ nearly.

The same answer'd by Mr. Tho. Moss.

Since it is evident (from the common Proportion made use of to find the Hours Distances) that the Tangents of the Distances of the Hours 1 and 11, 2 and 10, 3 and 9, &c. from the Meridian or 12 o' Clock Line in any given Latitude are universally as the Tangents of 15° , 30° , 45° , &c. respectively; Now because there is given *per Quest.* the Hours Distances of 3 and 4 in one Sum, we have the following Construction.

Take AB to BC (see the following Figure) in the Ratio of the Tangent of 45° to that of 60° ; upon the whole Line AC describe a Segment of a Circle to contain the given Angle



$82^\circ 48'$; from B erect a Perpendicular meeting the Periphery in D, join AD and DC, then will the Angles BDA and BDC express the Distances from the Meridian, of the Hours of 3 and 4 respectively: To determine which make $BE = AB$, and join DE; then it will be as $AC : EC :: \text{Sine } ADC : \text{Sine } EDC$ the Difference of the Angles at the Base.

Whence the Angle BDC (the Distance of the Hour Line of 4 from the 12 o' Clock Line) is found; and consequently the Angle BDA is known: Then *per Spherics* it will be as Tangent 60° : Tang. BDC (as found above) :: Rad.: the Sine of the Latitude required.

This Question was also solved by Mr. John Hollingworth, Harland Widd, Mr. Tho. Grimes, Mr. Abr. Lord, Mr. Ralph Brocksopp, Mr. John Peachy, Mr. Richard Gibbons, Mr. Alex. Rowe, Mr. Llewelin Davies, Mr. John Watchorne, Mr. John Wiglesworth, Mr. Benj. Donn, Mr. Cha. Smith, Mr. James Collingridge, Mr. W. Whalhead, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Sam. Bamfield, Rimside; and many others, whose Names may be seen in the Catalogue.

(3) Quest. 103 answer'd by Mr. Abr. Lord, the Proposer.

Let the Area of the Hole be $= a$, or 5 Feet, the Height of the Water $= 3$ Feet $= b$, the Force of Gravity in a Second $= 16,1$ Feet $= c$, then by the Laws of Hydrostatics, we have

$\frac{ac}{2} \sqrt{b}$, = the Number of solid Feet evacuated in one Second
 $= 6,96325$ Feet of Water $= 3,8091$ Hundred Weight; from which subtract 1,5 Hundred, and there will remain 2.3091 the

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the relative Force on the Wheel, and 13.7265 Feet is the Celerity. Now for 3.8091 put a , for 2.3091 put b , for the Celerity put c , and we have $\frac{ac}{a+b}$ for the Velocity of the Wheel in a Second of Time $= 8.729$ Feet, by which divide the Periphery of the Wheel, and 4.582 Seconds is the Time of one Revolution of the Wheel: But while the Wheel makes one Revolution, the Stone makes 5.625 Revolutions: Therefore in an Hour the Stone makes 4419.5. Consequently 552.4 Pints is the Meal ground, or 8.6374 Bushels.

Mr. *Wm. Bevil's* Answer to the same is as follows:

$1 \times .5 \times 3 = 1.5$ which multiply'd by 62.5 *lib.* the Weight of a cubic Foot of Water) is $= 93.75$ Pounds for the instantaneous Pressure of the Water on any Obstacle; then $16 \frac{1}{2} \text{ F.} : 32 \frac{1}{2} \text{ F.} :: 3 \text{ F.} :$ to the Square of the Velocity of the Water, which Velocity is 13.89244 Feet *per* Second, and $93.75 \times 13.89244 \div 168 (1 \frac{1}{2} \text{ C}) = 7.752477$ Feet, any Point of the Wheel moves round in 1 Second of Time: then $7.752477 : 1 :: 40 : 5,15964$ Seconds the Wheel requires to move once round, $5,15964 : 1 :: 3600 : 697.723096$: Rounds the Wheel moves in an Hour $1 : 5,625 (= 4 \frac{5}{8}) :: 697,723096 : 3924,692415$ Rounds the Stone moves in one Hour, which divided by 8 gives 490.5865518 Pints, which is 7 Bush. $2 \frac{1}{2}$ Pints, and something more, the Mill grinds in an Hour.

The same answered by Mr *Will. Kingston*.

The Velocity acquired by the Fall of the Water will be the same as that of any other Body thro' the same Space: Therefore it will be as $16 \frac{1}{2} \text{ Feet} : 1^{2''} :: 3 \text{ Feet} : 1 \frac{3}{5} =$ Square of the Time of its Descent. $\therefore \frac{6}{\sqrt{193}} =$ the Time, and as $\frac{6}{\sqrt{193}}$

$: 6 :: 1 : \sqrt{193} =$ the uniform Velocity of the Water from the Floodgate in one Second of Time. Hence $\frac{\sqrt{193}}{2} = 6.44765$

cubic Feet in one Second: Now as $62 \frac{1}{2}$ Pounds Weight is equal to a cubical Foot of Water, the whole Weight will be 402.978125 Pounds: Then as 402.978125 Pounds : $1'' :: 112$ Pounds : $0'.27793 =$ the Time that will put the Wheel in Motion: Then as $\sqrt{193} : 1'' :: 40 \text{ Feet} : 2''.87795 =$ the Time of one Revolution of the Wheel; and as $2''.87795 : 1 :: 3599'.72207 : 125,793$ Revolutions of the Wheel in one Hour;

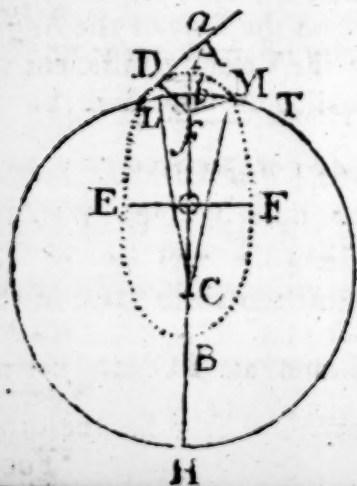
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Hour; Then as $1 : 4\frac{5}{8} :: 1250,793 : 7035,71625$ Revolutions of the Stone. Whence the Quantity of Meal ground is 13 *Bush.* 5 *Gall.* 3.7322 *Quarts.*

The same answer'd by Mr Sam. Barnfield.

Per Gravesand's Mathematical Philosophy, p. 188. N. 378. the Time in which a Body falling freely goes thro' the Height of the Liquid above the Hole, a Column of the Liquid flows out equal in Length to twice that Height; *per Laws of Descending Bodies* say as $16\frac{1}{2}$ Feet : $1''^2$ of Time :: 3.5 Feet : $4666'' = 28''' =$ the Time a heavy Body will be descending thro' the Height of the Water = 3.5 Feet, in which Time a Column of Water 7 Feet in Height or Length, whose Base is a Parallelogram, Breadth half a Foot, and Length a Foot (the Dimensions of the Orifice) will flow, run, or spout out, which Weight will be 265.838832 Pounds Troy. Then since the Water-wheel is 40 Feet in Circumference, and is driven by a Stream which runs 7 Feet in 28 Thirds of Time; therefore the Water-wheel will turn or move itself in its Periphery 7 Feet also in the same Time: Hence it will make one intire Revolution in the space of 2 Seconds and 40 Thirds; and in one Hour exactly $22\frac{1}{2}$ Revolutions; Consequently the Wheel of 45 Teeth will make the same Number of Revolutions in the same Time, because on the same Axis; and whilst this driving Wheel revolves once, the upright Wheel, or that which hath 8 Pinions, will revolve 5.625 Times; Therefore it will in an Hour revolve 126.5625 Times; Consequently $126.5625 \times \frac{1}{8}$ Parts of a Pint of Meal will give 15.82 Pints of Meal ground in an Hour; which was required.

These are most of the Solutions we have received to this Question, which may be observed differ from the Proposer's, as well as from each other; which of them is in the right, is left for the Curious to determine at their leisure Hours.



(4.) Quest. 104. answer'd by Mr. Abr. Lord, the Proposer.

First the Velocity of the Place of Projection at 14.5 Miles above the Earth's Surface is, 24022 Miles, by which if the Velocity of the Projectile, and the Directions be compounded, the absolute Velocity of the Projectile will be 1.959 Miles at an Angle of Elevation of $26^{\circ} 46'$

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and $11^{\circ} 24'$ from the South towards the West, and the periodic Time in a Circle at that Distance is $1^h 25' 31''$, and the Velocity 4.9 Miles. Therefore the Velocity in the Trajectory is to the Velocity in a Circle as 4052 to 1, and consequently the Curve an Ellipsis (according to *Simpson's Fluxions*, Art. 171. or *Colin Mac Laurin*, Art. 874.) Now if $a =$ to (the Rad. CD) 4014.5, $b =$ the Semi Conjugate, $n = .4052$, and $p =$ the Cosine of the Angle of Elevation, Rad. $= 1$; we shall

have, by the afore said Articles $\frac{a \pm a \sqrt{1 - 2n^2 p^2 + p^2 n^4}}{2 - n^2}$ for

the Distance of the two Apfides from the Focus $C = 4147.2$ and 280.8 Miles, then the Transverse is 4428, by which the Conjugate may be found $= 2144$ Miles, and by the Property of the Ellipse, in the Triangle DCf we have all the Sides to find the Angle $DCf = 5^{\circ} 44' 16''$, and again the Angle $MCf = 6^{\circ} 0'$, and therefore the Angle $DCM = 11^{\circ} 44' 16''$, and the Arch 831.8 Miles, and from the Area of the Ellipse and Circle the periodic Time in the Ellipsis is $39' 11''$, and by measuring the Segment or Elliptic Sector DCM , the Time of Flight above the Earth is $10' 23''$; then by Spheric Trigonometry, the Latit. of the Place is found $40^{\circ} 6'$ North, and the Long. 3° West; but in $10' 9''$ the Earth moves Eastward $2^{\circ} 36'$; Therefore the Longit. will be $5^{\circ} 36'$ West of London, by which the Distance from *Tangier* may be readily found.

The same answer'd by Mr. *Thomas Moss*.

Let HLT be a great Circle of the Earth passing thro' *London* and *Tangier*, and let DL be the Height of the Castle: Moreover let DAM be the Arch of the Ellipsis described by the Ball MT the required Distance. Put $CL = CH$, the Earth Radius $= a$, $CD = a + 14.5 = d$, and the Sine of the Angle $CDa = m$. Now it is known that the Velocity sufficient to retain the Ball in a Circle whose Radius is CD , will be at

the Rate of $26000 \times \sqrt{\frac{CL}{CD}} = 25948$ Feet per Second, which

is to the given Velocity (10368) of the Ball at D , as 1 to 4 very near: Therefore if 4 be put $= n$, it will appear, by *Simpson's Fluxions*, p. 261. that the Semi-transverse (AO) of the

Ellipsis will be $\frac{d}{2 - n^2}$, and the Semi-Conjugate (EO) $= \frac{mnd}{\sqrt{2 - n^2}}$:

whence $AC (= OC + AO)$ is known: Let f be the other Focus

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Focus of the Ellipsis: Join Df , and Mf ; then in the Triangle CDf are given all the Sides (for $CD + Df = AB$, which was found above, and CD is given) whence the Angle DCf may be found; and by the same way of Reasoning the three Sides of the Triangle CMf are given, whence the Angle MCf may be found; therefore the Angle DCM , or the Arch LM is known, and consequently the required Distance. *Q. E. I.*

Time will not permit me to give the Numerical Calculation of the above Solution, but am pretty confident there can be no Objection to the Principles upon which the said Solution is founded.

This Question was also answer'd by Mr. John Hollingworth, Harland Widd, Mr. Benj. Donn, Mr. William Kingstone, and Mr Sam. Bamfield, but the Room we are confined to obliges us to omit their Insertion.

(5) Quest. 105 answer'd by Mr. Richard Gibbons.

Put b = the Bung Diameter, and h = the Head Diameter;
Then by the Question $\frac{7b}{6}$ = the Length. Hence by *Shircliff's Gauging*, p. 199. $b^3 + 2bb^2 \div 923.27 = 97,38029$ Ale Gallons; which reduc'd gives $b = 30$, and the Length = 35 Inches.

The same answer'd by Mr. Paul Sharp.

Put $a = 97.38029$ Ale Gallons, $b = 32.38029$ the Bung Diam. in Inches, and $7x$ = the Length sought; then will $6x$ = the Head Diam. *per Quest.* Whence *per Ward*, page 444. we have this Equation (*viz.*) $14b^2x + 252x^3 = 1077,15a$, which in Numbers and reduc'd, gives $x^3 + 58,24906x = 416.24529$; solved $x = 5$; whence the Length = 35, and the Head Diameter 30 Inches.

The same answer'd by Mr Tho. Ward.

Let $32.38029 = b$ } x = Head Diameter }
 $97.38029 = c$ } y = Length } sought.

Then $6y = 7x$ *per Quest.* and $2bb + xx \times y \div 1077.15 (d) = c$,
 by a well known Theorem. Whence $y = \frac{cd}{2bb + xx} = \frac{7x}{6}$;
 which out of Fractions is $7xxx + 14bbx = 6cd$, and reduc'd gives $x = 30$ Inches the Head Diam. and $y = 35$, the Length.

The same answer'd by Mr. William Bevil.

Let a = the Bung Diam. b = the Content of the Cask in Inches, and for the Head Diam. put x ; Then $\frac{7x}{6}$ = the Length, and by a Theorem in *Ward*, we have $2a^2 + x^2 \times \frac{7x}{6}$

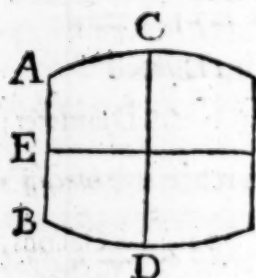
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$=b$, solv'd $x=30$ nearly the Head Diameter, and $35=$ the Length of the Cask.

Mr. William Kingstone's Answer to the same.

Let $b=32,38029$, $a=97,38029$, $d=1077.15$, $x=$ the Length ; then $\frac{bx}{7}=$ the Head Diameter, and $\frac{2b^2 + \frac{36x^2}{49} \times x}{d}=a$, in Numbers $x^3 + 2854,20421354x = 142772,5973789$; whence $x=35000082$, and the Head Diam. $=30,00007$.

The same answer'd by *Rimside*.



Put $CD=32.38029=b$, the Content $97.38029=c$, $\frac{6}{7}=d$, and $EF=x$; Then per Question AB will be equal to dx , and (per *Ward's Young Mathematician's Guide*, p. 421.) the Content is $=\frac{2b^2 + d^2 x^3}{1077.15}$; hence this Equation

$\frac{2b^2 x + d^2 x^3}{1077.15} = c$; which reduced is $x=35$, and $AB=30$ Inches nearly.

The same answer'd by Mr. *Llewelin Davies*.

Let the Bung Diameter given $=b$, the Head Diameter $=6x$, and per *Quest.* the Length will $=7x$; Then because it is spheroidal, we have $\frac{2bb + 36x^2 \times 7x}{1077.162} = 97.38029$ Ale Gallons, that is $14bbx + 252x^3 = 1077.162 \times 97.38029$, and dividing this Equation by 252 it will be $x^3 + 58.249066x = 416.24741245$, and solving this affected Equation, x will be found $=5,0000156$; whence the Head Diameter will be 30.0000936 , and the Length 35.0001092 Inches.

The same answer'd by Mr. *John Hollingworth*.

Put $b=32,38029$, $y=97.38029$, and let $x=$ the Length of the Cask ; Then $\frac{6x}{7}=$ the Head Diam. and $\frac{2b^2 + 36x^2}{1077.15} \times x = y$; Resolv'd $x=35=$ the Cask's Length, and the Head consequently must be $=30$.

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The same answer'd by Mr. Sam. Bamfield.

For the Head Diameter put $6x$, then per Quest. the Length will be $7x$ for the Bung Diam. b , and the Content c ; Then per common Theorem $\frac{14bbx + 252xxx}{1077.15} = c$; From which Equation x is found $= 5$. $\therefore$ the Head Diam. $= 30$, and the Length of the Cask $= 35$.

The same solv'd by Mr. Wm Enefer, Writing Master, and Teacher of the Mathematics in Ipswich.

Put $27461.24178 =$ the Content in Cubic Inches $= c$; 32.38029 the Bung Diam. $= b$; $0.2618 = p$; $\frac{6}{7} = d$; and let $x =$ the Length of the Cask, then will $dx =$ the Head Diam. per Quest. And by Mr. Robertson's Theo. p. 277. of his Mensuration, $2bbx + ddx^3 = \frac{c}{p}$. Put $\frac{2bb}{ad} = m$, and $\frac{c}{pdd} = n$; then $x^3 + mx = n$. In Numbers $x^3 + 2854.209x = 142772.63$. Hence by Converging Series $x = 34.995$, and $dx = 29.995$.
Q. E. I.

The same answer'd by Mr. Tho. Garrard.

Put $b =$ the Bung Diam. $= 32.38029$, $a = \frac{7}{8}$, $c =$ the Content $= 27461.24178$ Inches, and $x =$ the Head Diam. then will $ax =$ the Length, and by a known Theor. for finding the Solidity of the Frustum of a Spheroid we have $2bbax + axxx = \frac{c}{p}$ (where $p = \frac{7854}{3}$) which Equation solved will give $x = 30$, and $ax = 35$, both very near.

Mr. Wm. Pirson, M. W. of W. in Yorkshire, Harland Wid, Mr. Edw. Rogers, Mr. Jos. Orchard, Mr. J. Woolly, Mr. Ralph Brocklop, Mr. Geo. Godhelp, Mr. Ch. Mason Jun. Mr. John Peachy, Mr. Sam. Towndrow, Mr. Roger Widger, Mr. John Watchorne, Mr. John Wiggleworth, Mr. Benj. Donn, Mr. James Collingridge, Mr. John Ramsay, Mr. Taylor, and many others, have sent us very good Solutions to the same; but in order to oblige as many of our Contributors as possible, we have already been too prolix; therefore must refer them to the Catalogue.

(6) Quest. 106 answer'd by Mr. John Hollingworth.

The Log. of 5000 $= 3.698970$

The Log. of 3000 $= 3.477121$ by Supposition $y = 5.51$.

Then $\frac{3.698970}{5.51} = .67131$, the Log. of $4.692 = x$.

and $\frac{3.477121}{4.692} = .741074$ the Log. of 5.509 , but should

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should have been 5.51, so the Error is 0.001; but by another Trial I find $y = 5.5092$, and $x = 4.6924$ very near.

The same answered by Mr. Richard Gibbons.

It is plain by Inspection that x is between 4 and 5, but nearest the latter; wherefore I suppose it $= 4.7$, by which divide the Log. of 3000, the Quotient is 0.739813 the Log. of $y = 5.49304$, and $xy = 4918.8$ too little by 81.2. I next suppose x a small matter less (*viz.*) 4.69, and proceeding as before we get $xy = 5014.1$, too much by 14.1. Then as 95 3 the Sum of the Errors is to 0.01 the Difference of the Suppositions, so is 14.1 the last Error, to 0.00148. Hence $y = 5.51007$, true to five Places of Decimal Parts at the first Operation.

This Method of Trial and Error in solving Exponentials, was first made public (without the Operation) by the learned Mr. Tho. Simpson, in the *Monthly Oracle* for November 1737, wherein he observes, *That this Method not only extends to any of the most intricate Equations where there is but one unknown Quantity, but likewise where there are two unknown Quantities;* which is here manifested.

Wonderful is the Use of this Method in almost every Branch of the Mathematicks, wherein I observe, *That very ingenious Gentlemen have brought out Solutions by Affected Equations as high as the 7th and 8th Powers, and at the same Time acknowledge the Defect as well as Trouble the same is liable to, when compared with this, which to me seems something strange!*

The same answer'd by Mr. Benj. Donn.

Given $xy = 5000$, and $y^x = 3000$, *Quare* x , and y . Put $X =$ the common Log. of x , and $Y =$ that of y , $L =$ the Log. of 5000, and $l =$ that of 3000: Then (*p.r.* Quest. and the Nature of Log^{ms}) we have $Xy = L$, and $Yx = l$. $\therefore Y = \frac{l}{x}$.

Assume $x = 5$, and find the Error; then assume $x = 4.9$, and find the Error: And say as the Difference of the Errors, if alike, or Sum if unlike, is to the Difference of the Suppositions; so is either Error to a Fourth Number; which added to or subtracted from the proper Supposition gives the Value of $x = 4.668$: Now for x assume 4.668, and working as before, it gives $x = 4.6842$; Lastly assume $x = 4.6842$, and this gives $x = 4.6914$, and $y = 5.5102$ very near the Truth. After this manner you may proceed to what Exactness you please. So here is little Difficulty in solving the most troublesome of Exponential Problems by Logarithms.

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Ends being tied together) with another Pin carried along so as to keep the Line always streightened, describe the Arch ab (being Part of an Ellipsis) and it will cut the indefinite Line FB in B, the Point required. It may also be constructed by finding a Number of Points in the Curve geometrically by the common Method of describing an Ellipse.

N.B. By measuring the Scheme $FB = 9$ nearly.

The same answer'd by Mr. Paul Sharp.

Let DC and EA be the Posts, and FB the Pole. Draw CG and AH perpendicular thereon. Put $AB + BC = 2a$, and $BC - BA = 2x$; then $BC = a + x$, and $AB = a - x$; also put $CG = 16 = b$, $AH = 4 = c$, and $GH = 1$ per Quest. then will $BG = \sqrt{a^2 + 2ax + x^2 - b^2}$ (per 47. E. 1.) whence $a^2 + 2ax + x^2 - b^2 + 1 + 2\sqrt{a^2 + 2ax + x^2 - b^2} = a^2 - 2ax + x^2 - c^2$, $\therefore \frac{b^2 - c^2 - 1}{2} - 2ax = \sqrt{a^2 + 2ax + x^2 - b^2}$. Put $\frac{b^2 - c^2 - 1}{2} = n$, then $n - 2ax = \sqrt{a^2 + 2ax + x^2 - b^2}$, which squar'd and transpos'd gives $4a^2x^2 - x^2 - 4anx - 2ax = a^2 - b^2 - n^2$;

Put $\frac{4an + 2a}{4a^2 - 1} = 2p$, and $\frac{a^2 - b^2 - n^2}{4a^2 - 1} = -q$, then $x^2 - 2px = -q$.

Whence $x = p \pm \sqrt{p^2 - q} = 5.29243$; therefore BF = 9.0714 Feet, the Height of the Pole required.

The same answer'd by Mr. John Wigglesworth.

Having drawn AK and CG parallel to ED, let $AH = 4 = a$, $KH (= CG) = 16 = b$, $GH = 1$, $AB + BC = 22 = c$, $BH = x$, and $AB = z$; Then (per 47. E. 1.) $a^2 + x^2 = z^2$, $b^2 + x^2 - 2x + 1 = c^2 - 2cz + z^2$, by substituting for z in this last Equation we have $b^2 - 2x + 1 = c^2 - 2c\sqrt{a^2 + x^2} + a^2$; Reduc'd $x^2 - 5031x = 14.5305383024$; Solv'd $x = 4.07173$. Hence the Length of the Pole or Prop is 9.07173 Feet.

The same answer'd by Mr. Will. Pirsson.

Let $DF = KH = CG = 4c$, and $EF = AH = 4 = c$, $CK = GH = 1$, $EA = FH = DK = 5$, $BG = p$, $AB = e$, $BC = a$, then $a + e = 22 = s$, and $e^2 = s^2 - 2sa + a^2 = c^2 + p^2 + 2p + 1$, but $s^2 - 2sa + a^2 - c^2 - 2p - 1 = p^2 = a^2 - 16c^2$, and $\frac{s^2 + 15c^2 - 2p}{2s}$

$= a = \sqrt{p^2 + 16c^2}$, Reduc'd gives $p = 3.0717314839$ Feet, which added to $FG = DC = b$ makes 9.0717314839 = the Height of the upright Pole required.

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The same answer'd by *Rimside*.

Let $AE=5$, and $DC=6$, be the two Posts, $ED=20$ their Distance, make $EF=4$, and draw FB perpendicular to ED , and let $AB+BC$ be the Length of the Line when streightned $=22$, and suppose $AB=x$, then $BC=22-x$, and (per 47 E.1.) $BG=\sqrt{228-44x+x^2}$, and $BH=\sqrt{x^2-16}$, but $BG+GH$ ($=1$) $=BH$, hence this Equation $\sqrt{228-44x+x^2}+1=\sqrt{x^2-16}$, and by Reduction $44x-243=\sqrt{4x^2-64}$, whence $x=5.707$, and $BF=9.0708$ Feet, the Height of the Pole, as required.

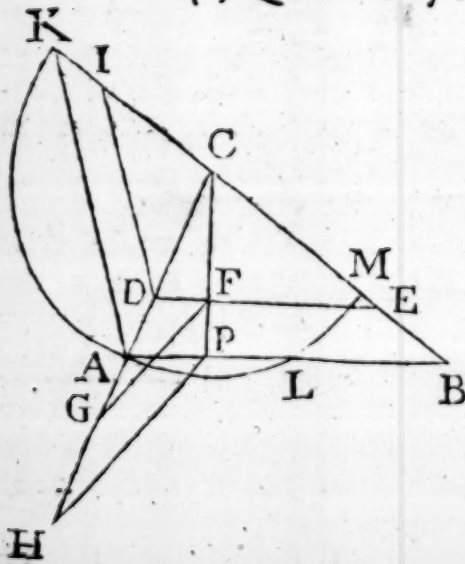
The same answer'd by *Mr. Rich. Gibbens*.

Since the Difference of the Height of the Posts is given $=1$ Foot in the two right angled plain Triangles ABH and GBC , we have given $AH=4$, $GC=16$, $AB+BC=22$; Put $AB=x$, $BC=z$, and $BG=p$, then is $BH=p+1$, and (by 47 E.1.) $x^2=p^2+2p+17$, and $z^2=256 \therefore 239-2p=z^2-x^2$, and $\frac{z^2-x^2}{z+x}=\frac{239-2p}{z+x}$, to which add $z+x$, and we have $2z=\frac{723-2p}{22}$: From hence and 2^d Equation we have this

Quadratic $p^2+1.49694p=14.0336$. Reduc'd $p=3.07172$, which added to 6, the highest Post.

This Question was truly answer'd by Mr. John Hollingworth, Harland Widd, Mr. John Woolly, Mr. Steph. Hartley, Mr. Abr. Lord, Mr. Ralph Brockfopp, Mr. Roger Widger, Mr. Philip George, Mr. John Watchorn, Mr. Tho. Moss, Mr. William Enefer, Mr. William Bevil, Mr. Tho. Ward, Mr. Sam. Bamfield and many others.

(8) Quest. 108 by *Mr. Jos. Orchard*.



Draw the indefinite Right Line BK ; and CH meeting BK making the Angle BCH $=$ the given Vertical Angle; at any Distance take $CI=CD$, and draw DE so, that DE to EI shall be in the given Ratio of the Diff. of the Sides to the Diff. of the Segments of the Base. Make $CF \perp DE$, and take $CG=CD+CF$, and CH $=$ the given Sum of the Perpendicular and lesser Side: Join FG ,

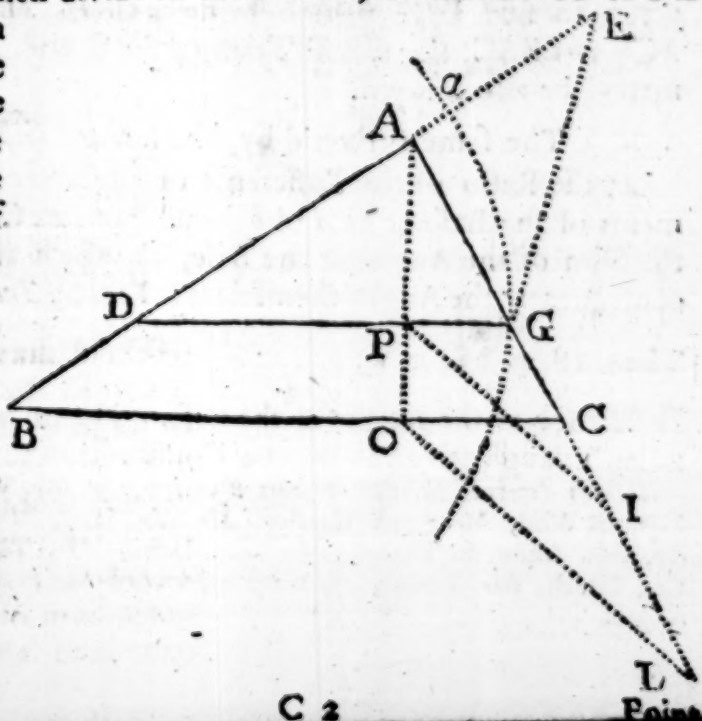
FG, and draw HP $\parallel$ FG meeting CF produced in P; thro' P draw AB $\parallel$ DE, and ABC will be the Triangle required.

DEMONSTRATION. With the Radius CA on the Centre C describe the Semicircle MAK, and join AK and DI; Then since DE to DI are in the given Ratio as above by Construction, and the Triangles EDI and BAK similar, it will be ED: to EI :: BA: BK. But (by Cor. 37 E. 3.) $BA \times BL = BK \times BM$ $\therefore BM: BL :: BA: BK :: ED: EI$. Again, because DE $\parallel$ to ABCD: CF :: CA: CP; Compounded $CD+CF: CF :: CA+CP: CP$, and because GF $\parallel$ to HP, $CG: CF :: CH: CP$ *ex aequo* $CD+CF: CG :: CA+CP: CH$; But $CG=CD+CF$: $CH=CA+CP$, and the Verticle the same by Construction. Q.E.D.

Method of CALCULATION. In the Triangle BAK we have the Angle $K = \frac{1}{2}$ the Vertical Angle, and the Ratio of the Sides BA to BK, which are as the Sines of their opposite Angles A and K, whence all the Angles in this and the required Triangle are easily found. Then in the Triangle APC we have the Sum of the Sides CA and CP, and the Angle CAP, whence ACP is known because the Triangle is right angled: Say as Radius: $CA+CP$: Tangent $\frac{1}{2}$ Angle ACP: AP. Whence the rest may be found by the Cases in plain Trigonometry,

The same answer'd by Mr. Tho. Garrard.

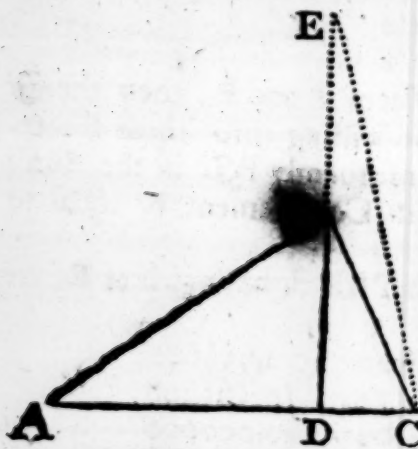
Make DE (see the following Figure) of any convenient Length, which divide in the Point a, so that Da be to DE in the given Ratio of the Diff. of the Sides to the Diff. of the Segments of the Base, and upon the Point D describe the Arch AG, draw EG making the Angle AEG = half the given Vertical Angle, From the



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Point of Intersection G draw GA making the Angle AGE = Angle AEG, and join DG; so will the Triangle ADG be similar to the Triangle sought. Continue AD, AG, and AP (perpendicular to DG) to a convenient Length; Then make GI = AP, and draw IP; also make AL = the given Perpendicular and lesser Side, and draw LO parallel to IP; Lastly through O draw BC parallel to DG, so will ABC be the Triangle required. The whole Operation is so plain, that I think it needs no Demonstration.

The same answer'd by Mr. Paul Sharp.



Since the Vertical Angle is given, and the Ratio of the Diff. of the including Sides and the Diff. of the Segments of the Base, the Angles at the Base are also given (*per Theo. 18. p. 28. of Thacker's Miscell.*) Therefore (*per 22 E. 1.*) describe the Triangle ABC with the given Angles, and let fall the Perpendicular BD, make $DE = BC + BD$, and draw CE,

then in the Triangle CED there is all the Angles and Side DE given to find DC; which being known, and the Angles ACB and BAC, the whole Triangle ABC will, *per Trigonometry*, be also known.

The same answer'd by Mr. Richard Gibbons.

Let the Ratio of the Difference of the Sides and the Segments of the Base be as d to b ; and put $s = \text{Cosine of half the Sum of the Angles at the Base}$, all which are given, and consequently the Angles themselves: For, by *Thacker's Miscell.*

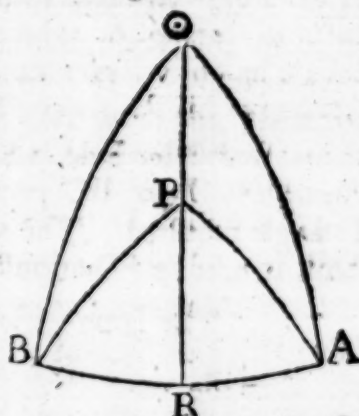
Theo. 18. p. 28. as $d : b :: s : \frac{sb}{d} = \text{the Cosine of half the}$

Difference of the Angles at the Base. Hence we have a similar Triangle given to draw a Construction therefrom.

We also received Solutions to this Question from Mr. William Pirsson, Harland Widd, Mr. Steph. Hartley, Mr. Abr. Lord, Mr. Ralph Brack-
sop, Mr. Lihewelin Davies, Mr. Benj. Donn, Mr. Tho. Moss, Mr. Cha. Smith, Mr. Taylor, and many others, as may be seen in the Catalogue.

(9) Question 109 by Mr. John Hollingworth.

Let B and A represent the two Places in the Artic Circle, P the Pole, then there is given $PA=PB=23^{\circ}30'$, and the $\angle BPA=52^{\circ}$ the Diff. of Long. and $\angle BPR=\angle APR=26^{\circ}=\frac{1}{2}$ the Diff. Now $A\odot=90^{\circ}$, and $B\odot=90^{\circ}$, for 'tis plain that the Sun must be 90° distant from each Place, otherwise he could not rise at A when he sets at B. Let BRA be the Arch of a great Circle passing thro' both Places A and B; then the $\odot$ will be the Pole of a great Circle passing thro' those Places. Therefore $\odot R=90^{\circ}$, and consequently $P\odot$ is the Sun's Declination from the Pole, and its Complement is equal to the Sun's Declination $=PR$.



Now in the Triangle PRA or PRB right angled at R, we have the following *Analogy*:

As Cos. Angle APR $= 26^{\circ} 00'$	9.953660
is to Cot. of AP $= 23^{\circ} 30'$	10.361698
so is Radius $= 90^{\circ} 00'$	10.000000
to the Cot. of PR $= 21^{\circ} 21'$	10.408038

$\therefore$ the Sun's Declination North, the true Answer.

The same answer'd by Harland Widd.

Here are given the Lat. $66^{\circ} 31'$ North, and the Length of the Day $=$ Diff. of Long. converted into Time; consequently the Complement of $\frac{1}{2}$ the Diff. of Long. gives the Ascensional Diff. $= 64^{\circ}$. Then say as Tang. of Lat. : to Radius :: so Sine of Ascensional Diff. to Tang. of Declination $= 21^{\circ} 20'$.
Q. E. I.

The same answer'd by Mr. Cha. Mason Jun.

'Tis demonstrable from the Stereographic Projection of the Sphere on the Plain of the Ecliptic that the Length of the Day will be equal $3^h 28' = 52^{\circ}$ in Motion, the given Diff. of Long.; Whence, and per Spherics, may be drawn this universal Theorem for all such Questions, viz. As Tangent of the Latitude $66^{\circ} 31'$ (under the Artic Circle) : to Rad. :: so is the Cosine of the Time from Noon 26° (when the Sun rises or sets) : to Tangent of $21^{\circ} 20'$ the Declination.

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The same answer'd by Mr. *Paul Sharp*.

Here are given the Latitudes of the two Places $= 66^{\circ} 30'$ (the Nat. Cotang. of which a) and their Difference of Long. $= 52^{\circ}$, half of which is $= 26^{\circ} =$ the Sun's Distance from the Meridian at his Rising and Setting, the Nat. Cosine of which call b , and Radius $= 1$; Then by the Elements of spherical Trigonometry, we have $ab, 3908$ the Nat. Tang. of $21^{\circ} 20' 45''$ the Sun's Declination; answering to the 17th Day of November, or 3d of January, the Time required.

The same answer'd by Mr. *Will. Spicer*.

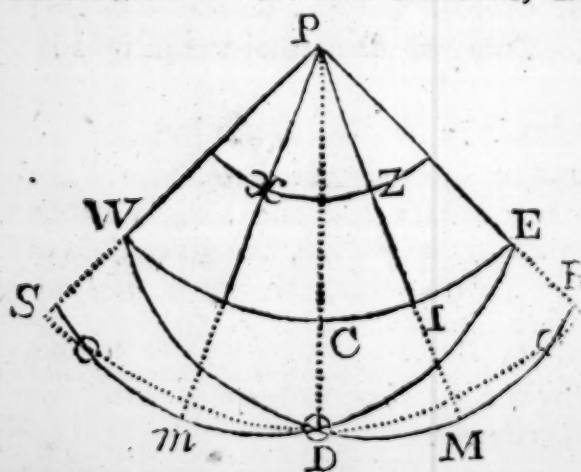
Put $s =$ Nat. Sine of $4^h 16' = 64^{\circ}$ the Ascensional Difference, $b =$ the Tang. of Latitude, and $x =$ Tang. of the Sun's Declination. Then (*per Spherics*) $b : 1 :: s : x$; Therefore $x = \frac{s}{b} = 390805$, which answers $21^{\circ} 20' 45''$ the Decl. required.

The same answer'd by Mr. *Will. Kingstone*.

A Place situated under the Artic Circle, in the Middle betwixt the two given Places, shall have the Sun in the Meridian at the same Time it rises to the Westermost and sets to the Eastermost of the two given Places; and consequently (26°) half the Diff. of Long. is the Sun's Amplitude from the South of the Middle Place; Therefore (*per Spherics*) as Rad. : Cos. $26^{\circ} ::$ Cosine Lat. $66^{\circ} 31'$ to Sine Declination South $= 21^{\circ} 21'$ nearly.

The same answered by *Rimside*.

Let P represent the Pole, z and x the Zeniths of the two Places, WCIE the Equinoctial, WDMR the Horizon of the first Place, and EDmS that of the latter; then thro' D, the Intersection of the two Horizons, draw RDS a Parallel of



Declination, so that the Sun when at D set to the Inhabitants of z , and at the same Time rise to those of x , and CD will be the Declin. required South. In the similar Triangles WIM and WCD, right angled at I and C, there is given

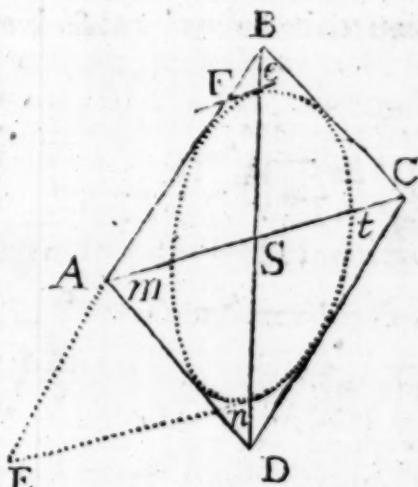
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ven $WI = 90^\circ$, $IM 23^\circ 30'$ the Latitude, and $WC = 64^\circ$ the Compl. of half the Diff. of Longitude; then by Spherics, as Radius : Sine Complem. of half Diff. of Longitude :: Tang. of Lat. : Tang. $CD = 21^\circ 21'$ the Declination.

This Question was also curiously answered by M. W. of W. in Yorkshire, Mr. Steph. Hartley, Mr. Abr. Lord, Mr. Tho. Mofs, Mr. Geo. Godhelp, Mr. Tho. Garrard, Mr. Sam. Bamfield, and many others.

(10) Quest. 110. answer'd by the Proposer Mr Paul Sharp.

Let ABCD be the Rhomboides, n, m, e, t the Ellipsis; Put $AB = CD = a$, $AD = BC = b$, and half the Diff. of the Diagonals $= d$, and half their Sum $= y$; then will $2d^2 + 2y^2 = 2a^2 + 2b^2$ (see *Newton's Algebra*, p. 117) $\therefore y = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 - d^2}$, whence the Diagonals are known. Let $BD = 2c$, $AC = 2p$, and $eS = Sn = x$, then $Bn = c + x$, and $Be = c - x$. Draw En and Fe parallel to AS , then E



$$(per\ 4\ E.\ 6)\ c : p :: c - x : \frac{pc - px}{c} (= Fe) :: c + x : \frac{pc + px}{c}$$

$$= En : En \times Fe = \frac{p^2 c^2 - p^2 x^2}{c^2} = mS^2\ (per\ Conics)\ whence$$

$$mS \times eS = \frac{px}{c} \sqrt{c^2 - x^2},\ or\ \frac{p^2 c^2 x^2 - p^2 x^4}{c^2}\ must\ be\ a\ Max.\ \therefore$$

$$\frac{2p^2 c^4 x \dot{x} - 4p^2 c^2 x^3 \dot{x}}{c^4} = 0,\ whence\ c^2 - 2x^2 = 0\ \therefore x = \frac{c}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= eS,\ mS = \frac{p}{\sqrt{2}}. \text{ Consequently the Area of the Ellipsis is } \frac{2c}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{2p}{\sqrt{2}} \times .7854 = 1.5708 pc. \quad Q. E. I.$$

The same answer'd by Mr. Cha. Smith.

It may be very easily demonstrated that the inscribed Ellipsis will be the greatest * when the transverse Diameter AB lies parallel and in the Mid-way between the two longest Sides

* This is quite different from the Principles on which the Proposer's Solution is founded, whom we presume was mistaken in solving his own Quest. his Solution being only applicable to a Rhombus.

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That the Area of the greatest Ellipsis that can be inscribed in any given Rhomboides is = the Area of that Rhomboides multiplied by ,78539 &c. And putting $2b$ = the longest Side of the Rhomboides, $2c$ = the shorter Side, and $4d$ = the given Difference of the Diagonals, by an Algebraic Process he finds the Area of the whole Rhomboides = $4\sqrt{d^2 - c^2} \times \sqrt{d^2 - b^2}$, which x'd by ,78539 &c. determines the Area of its greatest inscribed Ellipsis.

PARADOX by Mr. Sam. Hammond of Nottingham.

A GENTLEMAN, who is to Whims inclin'd,
His Gardener the other Day injoin'd
To plant an Hundred Chesnut Trees next Year,
So as no Row amongst them may appear;
Yet when to them he adds another Tree,
There Fifty, equal, reg'lar Rows may be.

The Gardener has a projecting Brain,
But all his Thoughts are spent on this in vain;
And therefore, (tearing he should lose his Place)
Desir'd that I would humbly state his Case
To you, Sirs, begging Aid; which (I desire ye)
Vouchsafe to give him in your next Year's Diary.

Answers to the Ænigma's in last Year's Diary.

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| 1. NOISE. | 5. PAPER. |
| 2. The BRAIN. | 6. A CHAIR. |
| 3. A CUSHION. | 7. A TOBACCO PIPE. |
| 4. A SIEVE. | 8. A SUN DIAL. |

Mr. Samuel Hammond of Nottingham answers all the Ænigmas, Anagram, Paradox, and Rebus's thus:

A Baronet, living near SALISBURY City, 2^d Reb.

Whose Father resigning his Breath
Before the old Grandfather, was (which is Pity,

Born after his Grandfather's Death;

Who a Baronet being, the Infant became

Heir both to his Title and Pelf

The Minute when born, tho' his Father the same

Had never enjoyed Himself;

At School he with Learning ne'er puzzled his BRAIN,

Of all that he read little knew;

Paradox.

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For, like a **LAWN-SIEVE**, he the *Bran* would retain, 4
But let all the *Flour* run thro'.

His *fav'rite* Companions were *Boys* that were *rude*,
Dull, ignorant, vulgar, and bold;
And **PAPER-Kites**, *Chuck*, and *Span-Farthing* pursu'd 5
Till full *One and Twenty* Years old.

When quite from *Mamma* and his *Guardians* got free,
His *Estate* being then in his *Hand*,
With *Huntsman* and *Groom* as familiar was he,
As if they were *Peers* of the *Land*:
With *them*, and *such-like*, cock'd his **PIPE** and sat drinking, 7
Join'd their **NOISE** 'bout a *Horse* or a *DOG*; 1, *Anagr.*
Till, being disabled, from *Talking* or *Thinking*,
He wallow'd in *Dirt* like a *Hog*.

His *Face*, like a **SUN-DIAL** presently shone, 8
His *Foot*, on a **CUSHION** and **CHAIR**, 3, 6
As certain as any **BAROMETER**'s grown 1 *Reb.*
In telling the *Change* of the *Air*.

Be warned, ye Youth, lest too late ye repent,
Both Sexes of ev'ry Degree;
For as are the Manners of those you frequent,
Your Manners will certainly be.

Mr. *Samuel Bamfield's* Answer to the **Ænigmas**.

Would bounteous Heaven permit, *my Choice* should be
Such Friends as could increase *Felicity*:
Those whose capacious **MEM'RIES** should contain 2
All valuable Things; — They them explain;
Should know why *Echo* did a **NOISE** repeat 1
And how to mark the **HOURS*** *Sol* does compleat 8
Should ev'ry useful, learned Science know,
Nay, all that public **PAPERS** e'er can shew: 5
Then should I think myself more richly blest
Than those on **SARSEN**et **CUSHION'd CHAIR** who rest; 4, 3, 6
That spend their Days chiefly with **PIPE** and **Glass**, 7
Contriving how Time idly on to pass;
For this cannot such solid Pleasure bring
As that which flows from the *Pierian Spring*.

* Alluding to a Sun-Dial.

All the **Ænigmas**, *Anagram*, *Paradox*, and 2^d *Rebus* answer'd by
Mr. *Tho. Royle* of *Sysson*. [1, 2, 3, 7, 2 *Reb.* 4

NOISE, **MEMORY**, **CUSHION**, **PIPE**, **SALISBURY**, **SIEVE**,
DOG, **PAPER**, **CHAIR**, **DIAL**, are right I believe, *Anag.* 5, 6, 8

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The BARONET needs must be in his *Mam's* Belly, *Paradox*.
When's *Father* and *Grandfather* dy'd; but (to tell ye
The Truth) I've no Notion of *Rebus* the first,
Yet hope, *Sirs*, my *Answer* is none of the worst.

New MATHEMATICAL QUESTIONS to be answer'd in the next Year's Diary.

(1) Question 111 by *Harland Widd*.

AN Ellipsis whose Area is 1752, and the Area of its greatest inscribed Parallelogram is to the Area of its greatest inscribed Square as 3 to 2; It is required to determine this Ellipsis?

(2) Question 112 by *Mr. Abr. Lord*.

As I chanc'd at a Tavern, being late in the Night,
Some young Sparks were drinking of good *Lisbon* White:
A young Gauger in Company happen'd to be,
Boasting of his Skill in Stereometry.
A Youth took him up, with this Question straightway,
And a Wager upon't did immediately lay,
That in one Year, he could not authentickly shew
What Wine he had drank? by the *Data* below*.
To work the young Gauger he instantly goes,
But all to no Purpose! his Wager must lose.

Therefore Artists, by me, he your Aid does explore,
And such foolish Wagers he'll venture no more.

* They drank in a conical Glass, whose Diameter at Top was x , the Depth $2x$, and the Content x^3 Inches; and he had drank Ten Glasses.

(3) Question 113 by the same.

It is required to find a General Theorem, with the Investigation, to inscribe the greatest Parallelogram possible in the Lune of *Hippocrates*, the Radius of whose outward Circle is $= a$, of its Inward $= b$, and the Distance of their Centres $= c$?

(4) Question 114 by *Mr. Richard Gibbons*.

A Ship bound from the *Lizard* to a Port on the *American* Coast, first sail'd upon a Parallel 200 Leagues, then directed her Course 120 Leagues towards her intended Port (between the S. and W.) which she then changed, and steered due South 80 Leagues; and then by Observation was in $44^{\circ} 35'$ N. Lat. and 250 Leagues due East off her intended Port: Required the Lat. and Long. of the intended Port?

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(5) Question 115. by *Tabularius*.

Given the Altitude of a semi-Parabolic Spindle $= 31.3 (=b)$ and the Radius of its Base $= 20 (=c)$: Required the Radius of the inscribed Sphere?

(6) Question 116 by Mr. *Roger Widger*.

The Perimeter, Diff. of the Segments, and the Ratio of the Line bisecting the Base to that bisecting the vertical Angle given to determine the Triangle.

(7) Question 117 by Mr. *Paul Sharp*.

Given the Diff. of the two parallel Sides of a Trapezoid $= 5.642224$ Poles, and the Area one Acre: *Quare* each Side when the Perimeter is a *Minimum*?

(8) Question 118 by Mr. *Thomas Mofs*.

To find on *May* the 20th 1752, Lat. $52^{\circ} 32'$ North, in what Direction, with regard to the Meridian, an Object must be fixed, making an Angle of 54° with the Plane of the Horizon; so the Angle included by the Meridian, or North and South Line, and Shadow of the said Object at 3 o'Clock shall be a *Minimum*?

(9) Question 119 by Mr. *William Spicer*.

Being out one dark Night, at some Distance from me I observed the Light of a Candle, but walking in a right Line 60 Yards towards it (the Light not moving) the Light which I then observ'd appear'd to me to be as 3 to 2 of that which I observ'd at first; *Quare* the Distance of the Light from me when I first observ'd it?

(10) Question 120 by Mr. *Charles Smith*.

What are the Diameters and Length of a Cask of the first Variety, whose Content is 350.703 A. G. the Content of its greatest inscribed Cylinder 231.706, and the transverse Axis of the Spheroid of which the Cask is the middle Frustum 86.458 Inches?

New Ænigmas to be answer'd in next Year's Diary.

(1) Ænigma 77 by Mr. *John Pickburn* of Kirkby.

INDULGENT Nature plac'd me so
 There's some above me, more below;
 Which is (as *Sages* all agree)
 A State most near Felicity.
 But from my Fate you'll own 'tis plain
 E'en such are not exempt from Pain;

Like

Like *Sol* I daily set and rise,
And tho' discern'd by distant Eyes,
With those more near have always been
Quite overlook'd, or rarely seen.

Since none admire my Voice, I keep
The wakeful Hours in Silence deep,
And chuse to sing while others sleep. }
No Animal beneath the Sky
Lives so irregular as I ;
Some Days my Patron is so good
Five hundred Times he gives me Food ;
At other Times, by Doom severe,
I fast whole Months, perhaps a Year.
Like *Tantalus*, my Fate is such,
When *Ale* or *Wine* I almost touch
(While I advance to meet the Cup)
A base Inferiour drinks it up.
By Underlins I'm thus abus'd,
Nor by Superiors better us'd ;
When Chance, or Age, their Strength decays,
The Burden's plac'd on me for Ease :
This I must bear, altho' decreed
Sometimes to rule, and always lead.

But one may lose a just Possession
Either by Fraud, or by Oppression ;
'Tho' that is hard to undergo
I'm often treated worse than so ;
Jack Pudding, dancing at a *Fair*,
In antick Forms to make you stare,
Provokes me till I roar aloud ;
Then throws my Guts among the Croud.

But if some dire Disorder seize
My Form, and on my Vitals preys,
Despis'd, and shunn'd, without Relief,
I die, consum'd with wasting Grief !
Nor, can my Place be well supply'd
E'er since that famous *German* dy'd
Who could rebuild my wasted Frame,
By which he gain'd immortal Fame.

(2) Enigma 78 by Mr. Samuel Hammond of Nottingham.

CREATED for the Preservation
Of Animals of ev'ry Station,
I answer well the End design'd
In all, except the *Human Kind*.
But this Defect springs from Abuse,
For th' Rest (content with nat'ral Use)
Only when Cause appears regard me,
And when th' Occasion's past discard me.
Whilst *Man* (reverse to Reason's Laws)
Makes me exist without a Cause,
And of Existence does debar me
When there are many Causes for me.

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From me flows half Man's Misery,
 And half the rest's for Want of me;
 By me he many Dangers shuns,
 And into many Dangers runs.
 Thro' me the Wretched Life desire,
 And oft unwillingly expire;
 Tho' thro' me many senseless Elves
 Stab, poison, hang, and drown themselves
 I'm faithless to the last Degree,
 Yet Foe to Incredulity;
 For (to convince you I am such)
 I commonly believe too much.

An hearty Friend to Superstition,
 And often prophesy from Vision;
 Pretend to see the Consequence
 Of Actions, and foretel Events,
 Tho' always in an evil Sense.

I sometimes deal in *Necromancy*,
 Assisted by the Strength of Fancy;
 With whom more Spirits I engender
 Than e'er were rais'd by th' *Witch* of *Endor*.

Altho' a Consequence of Sin
 I Heaven help the Good to win;
 Yet, for the most part, exercise
 My Talents on Uncertainties.

(3) Ænigma 79 by Mr. Richard Peat of Wirksworth.

YE Ænigmatic Tribe attend
 To me, who am your constant Friend;
 'Tis I preside o'er *Human Kind*,
 I comprehend the spacious Mind:
 Nay, Kings themselves submit to Me
 While Subjects from my Yoke are free.
 'Tis I the Man of Breeding trace,
 Tho' sometimes to my own Disgrace.
 I, o'er the Proud triumphant sit,
 Regardless both of Worth or Wit:
 At Church, or Play-house, I resign
 The Honours which by right are mine;
 Yet with a *Friend* can *there* be free,
 Preserve my Place and Dignity.

When o'er the Ladies I bear Sway
 I'm dress'd in all the Pride of *May*;
 But when with Man I go, alack!
 Am dress'd in melancholy Black:
 But hold; — I have so much reveal'd,
 My Name cannot be long conceal'd.

(4) Ænigma 80 by *Philanigmata*.

THE *Riddle of Riddles*! it dances and skips,
 It is seen in the Eyes, but cheats with the Lips;
 It seldom is known, but oftentimes read,
 It's as light as a Feather, or heavy as Lead;

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If it meets with its Match, it's happily caught,
If Money can buy it, it's not worth a Groat.

(5) *Ænigma 81* by Mr. *J. Woolley*.

FROM the dark Bowels of old Mother *Earth*,
I do originally claim my Birth ;
Was try'd by Fire, then to Perfection rose,
But first I suffer'd hard relentless Blows :
And now a kind of *Monster* I appear,
Without a Head, my Body thin and speare ;
A most devouring Mouth I have, you'll find,
And that, (strange Contradiction !) comes behind.
Each shining *Beau*, should I withdraw my Aid,
And sparkling *Belle* would shun the *Masquerade*.
Ye *Britons* ! tho' I'm much confin'd at Home,
I oft, with you, to distant Nations roam ;
The raging Seas my Progress cannot bound,
For I the World with *Anson* travell'd round.
The Fair my Services will freely own,
For Night and Day, in public and alone,
They know my Use, I wait at their Command,
And take Directions from the whitest Hand :
To please them I thro' various Windings range,
Yet go straight forward ; that, you'll say, is strange ;
Yet, what's more strange, if I much Service do,
A *Driver* I must have, and *Leader* too ;
By which the Fair oft my Resentment feel,
And they as kindly wish me at the *D—l* ;
Nay, oft discard me, tho' not much in Fault,
And all my Services are set at Nought :
One of our Sisterhood then takes my Place,
For you must know we are a num'rous Race ;
All *Females* too, all useful in our Kind :
From what I've said, my Name you'll quickly find.

(6) *Ænigma 82* by Mr. *William Heaford*.

Tho' I, alas ! a Pris'ner be, my Trade is Pris'ners to set free ;
No Slave his Lord's Commands obeys with such insinuating Ways :
My *Genius* piercing, sharp, and bright, wherein the Men of Wit delight,
The *Clergy* keep me for their Ease, and turn and wind me as they please.
A new and wondrous *Art* I shew, of raising *Spirits* from below ; [Fright.
In *Scarlet* some, and some in *White*, they rise, walk round, yet never
In at each *Mouth* the *Spirits* pass, distinctly seen as thro' a *Glass* ;
O'er Head and Body make a Rout, and drive at last all *Secrets* out :
And still the more I shew my *Art*, the more they open ev'ry *Heart*.
A greater *Chemist* none than I, who from Materials hard and dry, [Still.
Have taught Men to extract with Skill, more precious Juice than from a
Altho' I'm often out of out *Case*, I'm not asham'd to shew my Face :
Tho' at the *Tables* of the *Great*, I near the Side-board take my Seat ;
Yet, the plain *'Squire* when Dinner's done, is never pleas'd till I make one,
He kindly bids me near him stand, and often takes me by the Hand.
I twice a Day a *Hunting* go, nor ever fail to seize my *Foe*,
And when I have him by the *Poll*, I drag him upwards from his *Hole*,
Tho' some are of so stubborn Kind, sometimes I leave a *Limb* behind :
I hourly wait some fatal End, for I can break—but soon to mend.

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